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Today

Two Surprises
Yetta Arvin's Children
Polite Ballbearings
Exit, Mr. Wrangel

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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Standard Oil has reduced the price of gasoline one cent a gallon. D'Annunzio, Italian poet, has decided to retire to a monastery. There you have two unusual, interesting happenings.

All newspapers, except the majority edited by their advertising managers, yell when the price of gasoline goes up. Therefore it is proper to mention the fact when gasoline goes down.

D'Annunzio's retirement to a monastery may be explained by the fact that genius likes to try everything once, and so far as known a monastery is about the only thing that D'Annunzio has never tried.

He may have gotten the idea from Charles the Fifth who, to please Henry the Eighth, who married his aunt, Catherine, protected Luther, saving that gentleman from the burning that would have been his fate.

It was a fine sight in the hall of Golden Fleece when Charles turned over the many countries ruled by him to his son, saying to the crowd: "Gentlemen, you must not be astonished if old and feeble, I shed some tears."

After he got into the monastery, however, Charles kept right on running things, although there were no telephones in those days. You may be sure that D'Annunzio, if he does enter a monastery, will arrange some farewell that will rival that of "Charlequint," and then also continue bossing things. Love of power outlasts age and outlives feebleness.

Mrs. Yetta Arvin yesterday escaped from a blazing tenement in New York city. Firemen bringing her down told her to calm herself, that everybody was saved. When she found her three children—Hyman, aged fourteen; Esther, seven, and Aaron, three—were in the building filled with smoke, the firemen held her to prevent her going back. They were not strong enough for the job. She fought, scratched, got away, groped through the smoke, awoke the children, and then it was too late to come down.

But the next house in the rear was only ten feet away. At the window she shrieked until some one stretched out a narrow plank from window to window.

Across this plank, one foot wide and five stories up, Yetta Arvin led her three children to safety. Get that picture in your mind. Yetta Arvin is a Jewess, and her exploit may explain to Henry Ford and others why it is that the Jews have survived and done well in spite of persecution.

THEY TAKE CARE OF THEIR CHILDREN and they are not afraid when anything vital is at stake.

Teaching politeness as a separate branch in public schools is advised. Politeness should be taught BY SETTING THE EXAMPLE whenever children are in presence of their elders. Public schools would do well to make a specialty of it, and the family circle as well.

Politeness in America has suffered under false impression that it wastes time. It does not waste time, it saves it.

Politeness is to life what ball bearings are to the automobile.

A yokel, jolting along on a cart without springs, may admire his rugged simplicity, but he and his wagon have much to learn from the machine properly equipped. Sending a child out into the world to compete without a full set of the ball bearings of politeness, is a handicap.

Seven American parents out of ten encourage and applaud in their children bad manners, mistaken for "smartness."

Statistics show that crimes against women and children have increased under prohibition, especially crimes of brutality committed by fathers. This, however, should be charged to whiskey, not to prohibition.

The crimes are due to nervous systems, shattered by whiskey, craving and demanding whiskey, and turning to brutality when whiskey is unobtainable.

Whiskey's cruelty will disappear with the generation of whiskey victims. Many, including this writer, believe that moderation in light wines and beer would have solved the problem cheerfully, but the constitutional amendment has settled that for this generation.

Russia has complete control of the Crimea. Sebastopol has fallen. The distinguished "Wrangel" is added to the list of Kolchaks—poor failures that tried to restore the Czar's regime. It would be a good idea now to let the Russians manage themselves, if they can, without fighting, nagging, boycotting or embargoes.

This country has learned by seeing goods pile up on our wharves that it does not pay to have your European customers ruined. The worst thing that could happen to the world would be to have Russia not only ruined, but going to pieces like a decaying corpse in the house of nations.

THE WEATHER

Boston and vicinity—Rain or snow tonight and Wednesday; cold; much change in temperature; high northeast winds and gales.
Sun rises 6:36; sets 4:32.
Moon rises 9:31 p. m.
High tide 2:31 a. m.; 3:02 p. m.
Temperature—8 a. m., 46; highest, noon, 49; minimum 24, average 111 a. m. 37.
Light all vehicles at 4:39 p. m.

MISSING BROWN STUDENT FOUND

MACSWINEY JUDGES KIDNAPED

Calls Millionaire a Miser

PHOTO by INTERNATIONAL

Mrs. Herbert F. Crane, for whom her millionaire husband, sued for separation, is said to have bought hosiery at bargain sales.

Aurora, Ill., Nov. 16.—Herbert F. Crane, millionaire clubman, who pictured as a super-miser by witnesses for his young Costa Rican wife, Mrs. Ilda Pisa Crane, who is suing him for separate maintenance.

Crane was on the stand for a little while, but the sensations were supplied by other witnesses. Miss Ella Long, a companion in the household, testified that Crane shut off all his wife's credit and refused to give her any money. She also said he went shopping in the basements of department stores and bought bargain counter hosiery for his wife.

A laugh went around the room when the witness said that Crane did not eat in the dining room at their home, but preferred to take his meals in the kitchen with the cook.

Mrs. Crane's father, Benjamin Piza, coffee exporter of Costa Rica, related the stirring romance that bloomed in Costa Rica only to wither after the marriage. Piza said he always objected to the match because Crane was too old, being nearly seventy, instead of fifty, as he represented himself.

BETWEEN TWO AND THREE MILLIONS OUT OF WORK

Washington, Nov. 16.—Between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 workers are out of employment, Department of Labor officials estimated today. The estimate is a conservative one, according to Wade Skinner, assistant director of employment.

A "Trouble" Map
—of—
IRELAND
—the—
"Most Distressful Country"
17 INCHES BY 10 INCHES
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LOST BOY IN BATH HOUSE

Rich Brown Student, Gone Since Oct. 27, Is Located in Providence

Providence, Nov. 16.—Robert B. Frankel, the wealthy Brown University freshman who disappeared October 27, was found here today.

He had been in Providence most of the time, it is believed, and was in a bath in which he was spending considerable time.

The young man immediately took a train for his home in New York, with his father, Morris Frankel of No. 819 Riverside Drive.

Mr. Frankel would say nothing about the locating of his son beyond admitting he was found.

Providence police said attendants at the bath recognized the student from pictures in the newspapers and taxed him with his identity, which he admitted. University authorities informed his father.

Young Frankel is son of Morris Frankel, a wealthy coal exporter.

Frankel, Jr., is supposed to have had considerable money with him when he disappeared into the night life of Providence. It is not known whether he had any when located.

ARREST IN DEATH OF 2 GIRLS

Sailor Is Held as Suspect in Chicago's Double Murder Mystery

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The arrest of a sailor as a suspect and a search for a third victim, probably a woman, today featured the police investigation of the murder of two stage girls, Marie Ramey and Lillian Thompson, found slain in Grant Park on Lake Michigan.

Harold Potter of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, who had an empty vial, believed to have contained poison, in his possession, was arrested in a North Side cabaret.

He was in uniform and is said to have admitted running away from the training station. The vial, he said, contained whiskey. According to the coroner the women died from overdoses of "knockout drops" or from liquor.

Witnesses have told the police they saw two women answering the description of the slain girls quarrelling with a sailor late Saturday night.

The Black Hand entered the case when the hat of Marie Ramey was picked up in the gutter at the edge

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Memorial Gifts Made to Basket Fund

Many persons are contributing to the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund in memory of their dead relatives. What more kindly act could a man or woman do in memory of a loved one who has passed beyond than to feed hungry kiddies and weary mothers on Christmas Day!

This thought has occurred to a large number of people in and around Boston, as the list of contributions to the Basket Fund discloses. In nearly every instance the donors say that it gives them the keenest pleasure to be able to do a kind act in the memory of others.

One of the persons to whom this idea occurred was a young man who walked into the office of the Boston American and asked for the Basket Fund Editor. Placing a $5 bill on his desk, he said:

"I would like to give this $5 for the purpose of feeding hungry children on Christmas day, and I want you to list it in memory of my dear mother who is dead. When she was on earth it was her regular custom to give something to the poor at Christmas. Never did this great holiday pass without her remembering

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CHARGES WASTE BY SHIP BOARD

Manufacturer Tells Probers Exorbitant Prices Have Been Paid for Asbestos

New York, Nov. 16.—Before the Congressional committee investigating the Shipping Board the first witness today was Stewart Dickson of New York, head of an asbestos manufacturing company. He testified that "exorbitant prices" were paid for asbestos packing for shipping Army vessels and declared that the government contracted for more than $3,000,000 of such packing on a failing market.

He told of alleged favoritism in awarding bids, and specifically charged that a contract let at Baltimore for February and March deliveries requirements was "far in advance of the market price."

"I was a bidder," Dickson said, "but although my bid was 50 per cent. less it was rejected."

"For the same quality of asbestos cloth?" asked Chairman Walsh.

"Yes," answered the witness.

"The award for the February and March needs was for packing at $1.65 a pound," said Dickson. "My bid was at $1.30 a pound. The market price was $1.35 a pound. Since then the market has fallen to 95 cents a pound."

ASKS $1,500,000 FOR SCHOOLS

Bill to Come Up at Special Session; Million for Teacher's Raise

The Boston School Committee's bill, askin for an additional $1,500,000 appropriation for the schools, was filed today with the clerk of the House of Representatives, to be submitted to the special session of the Legislature late this month.

About $1,000,000 of the amount asked for by the bill, would be used for increasing the salaries of teachers. Two years ago the teachers asked for an increase of $650 and the Legislature granted them an increase of $484. The $1,000,000 would be used to pay the difference, $216, between their present pay and the amount they requested.

The $500,000 additional requested by the bill would be used for general school purposes, including meeting the increased cost of coal and supplies, establishment of physical training, employment of district nurses, school physicians and dental clinics for the students.

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Storm Warnings Out

Storm warnings are flying today along the entire Atlantic coast from the Gulf of Mexico to Eastport, Me., because a storm which started off the coast of Florida is moving rapidly northward.

Japan's Crown Prince Coming to America

Tokio, Nov. 16.—Crown Prince Hirohito of Japan will leave this country early in 1921 for a ten months' visit to the United States, Europe and India, shattering all precedents in Japanese court life.

It is definitely announced that the marriage of the future ruler of Japan will take place in the Autumn of 1921, probably immediately after his return from America.

This is the first time that a future Emperor of Japan has visited Europe or America, and it is taken by business and commercial circles to mean a definite departure from one of the old traditions of court life.

The prince was active in the entertainment of Carol, Crown Prince of Rumania, when the latter visited here last Summer. One of the reasons the Crown Prince is going to Europe is to repay the visit of the Rumanian Crown Prince. The itinerary and other details of the tour have not been made.

It is expected that the Crown Prince will visit San Francisco, Denver, Pittsburgh, Washington, Chicago, New York and possibly Boston while in the United States.

Crown Prince Hirohito is nineteen years old. He has just been appointed a major in the army and a lieutenant commander in the navy.

Unlike the recent trip of the Prince of Wales, heir to the British throne, the tour of the Japanese Crown Prince will not be of an official nature. The young prince is going right seeing and does not want to be bothered by official ceremonies.

CROWN PRINCE HIROHITO, OF JAPAN.

BARNEY AGAIN FACES JURY

Tried for Auto Thefts With "Chick" Dillon and 10 Others in Bitter Legal Battle

With Herman L. Barney present, trial of the band of alleged automobile thieves and hijackers in the East Cambridge Criminal Court today, following a long and involved struggle yesterday over legal technicalities.

An imposing array of counsel on both sides pressaged a bitterly fought contest, while at the same time a special session of the grand jury was expected to be called because of new evidence that has been secured.

A large throng of the curious was on hand at the opening of court, in the expectation of hearing sensational testimony, when the first case on the docket was called, charging conspiracy against John F. "Chick" Dillon and ten other defendants, for which sixty-eight indictments were returned.

The other ten defendants are William Winters, John Quinn, Frank Breen, James Smith, Ernest White, John McKever, Charles Pohlman, James Elliott, Norman Ryan and Oscar Goelet. Dillon was originally charged with larceny and receiving stolen cars and accessories on seven counts. These counts were merged.

Special Assistant Attorney-General Henry F. Hurlburt, against whose appointment it is understood powerful battle was waged yesterday, declared he will prove "there was a conspiracy to collect every stolen automobile in Middlesex County."

Mr. Hurlburt also stated that he had been informed by Assistant District Attorney George Stanley Hervey that additional evidence had been obtained as a result of further investigations in his office and Special Officer Charles Mallahan of the Cambridge police.

The plan of trial by consolidation of the cases was allowed by Judge Raymond over the objections of Attorneys Clarence W. Hewey, Edward P. Barry and John J. O'Connor.

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WOMEN, OVERCOME BY GAS, SAVED BY OFFICER

Brockton, Nov. 16.—Mrs. Myra Nelson and Mrs. William Dow, two Campello women, overcome by gas at their home early today, owe their rescue from death to the alertness of Policeman Gorge Dean. Puzzled by the appearance of the motionless form of a woman at a window, Dean entered the house, found the women overcome and called help.

How to make home brew. TOM WISE tells you how in "The Proper Spirit," Arlington Theatre. NOW.

COAL FOR HOME HARD TO GET

Dealers Say Situation in Boston Is Worse Than Year Ago

The hard coal situation in the East particularly in Boston and the rest of Massachusetts, is worse at present than it was a year ago, prominent coal dealers declared today at a conference called by Mayor Peters.

Meeting at the office of Fuel Administrator Malcolm E. Nichols, No. 1 Beacon street, they deplored any attempt to lift the three-ton limit, and attacked the newspapers as being responsible for conditions.

Nichols denied this charge, stating that the newspapers were inspired by a justifiable desire to secure more coal for Boston.

The dealers pointed out that there was plenty of pea coal on hand, as well as soft coal, but said that the public refused to purchase the small grade.

At the conclusion of the conference the dealers agreed to Nichols' suggestion that they furnish him weekly reports of the amount of the different grades of hard coal they had on hand.

Edward M. Hamlin of the Metropolitan Coal Company said there was only two or three days' supply of hard coal on hand in Boston. He said there was enough pea coal and soft coal however, and, if necessary, these grades could be used. Hamlin said conditions were the same throughout the East, New York experiencing as much trouble as Boston and other Massachusetts cities.

He said the railroads were able to handle more coal, but were unable to get it from the mines, and also referred to the "vacation of the Pennsylvania miners last September as a contributory cause.

W. H. Phinney of the City Fuel Company said the great trouble with the three-ton limit was the fact that many consumers placed orders with different firms.

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5-CENT PIE AND CHEAP BREAD ARE DEMANDED

Newport, R. I., Nov. 16.—Newportons are demanding 5-cent pie instead of the 10-cents article they have been getting in the restaurants, and are basing their demands upon the announcement that flour is now selling for $10 and less per barrel. A movement for reducing the price of bread from the 12 and 17-cent loaves to the old 5 and 10-cent loaves is under way here today, but is meeting with little encouragement from the bakeries.

BRITISH TROOPS RUSH TO ERIN

War Chiefs Pour in Reinforcements to Wipe Out Sinn Fein Government

British war chiefs took drastic teps today to wife out the Sinn Fein government in Ireland.

London dispatches reported fresh British troops pouring through many Irish ports to put down the provisional government and "re-impose the authority of the Crown."

From Irish sources came word that "Black and Tans" and regulars were moving determinedly into rural districts, with the purpose of conscripting abandoned barracks and wiping out Sinn Fein courts and other symbols of Republican government.

Coincident with this development, Cork correspondents reported that reprisals against the men held responsible for the death of Lord Mayor Terence MacSwiney of that city had begun.

Four officers who sat at the court-martial which condemned him to Brixton jail were kidnaped from a train today presumably by republicans.

Other government agents prominent in the sentencing of the "Cork martyr" were reported traveling under guard.

Reported attempts to "reconquer" Ireland were taken in Boston as the preliminaries to fresh fighting in the country districts.

In line with this view it was unofficially stated that five wives of Sinn Fein officials had been burned in Tipperary.

That section of the country is commonly described as almost entirely under the dominion of Sinn Fein chiefs, who carry out their mandates regardless of the Crown.

EXPLAINS MYSTERY OF PILGRIM'S GRAVESTONE

Salem, Nov. 16—The mystery surrounding the date on the gravestone over the body of Captain Richard More, Mayflower Pilgrim, has been cleared away by the statement today of Eugene Hammond, who went the stone at the request of John Robinson, curator of the Peabody Museum. Hammond says that the original date on the stone was 1682.

GOOD CALLS COMMITTEE TO WORK ON BUDGET

Washington, Nov. 16.—James W. Good, of Iowa, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee, has telegraphed members of the committee to be ready to begin work on the sundry civil appropriations bill, which is the omnibus budget bill for the government, immediately after it will arrive in Washington late today.

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WOMAN OF 80 IS KILLED BY FLAMES

Pawtucket, R. I., Nov. 16.—Mrs. Margaret O. Allan, after being burned when her clothes caught fire as she was working near a stove in Central Falls, died at the Memorial Hospital, this city. She was over eighty years old and was the mother of President Thomas O. Allan of the Central Falls board of aldermen.

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FINDING OF SHOE MAY CLEAR THE WHITNEY DEATH MYSTERY

Langdon, N. H., Nov. 16.—A woman's battered oxford shoe may serve as the clew to link William B. Whitney, rich farmer and churchman, who today began serving a year's sentence in the Concord prison on a charge of fraud, with the mysterious disappearance of his wife, for whose body the police of this and surrounding towns have been searching.

The battered shoe was found near a well on a place not far from here known as the deserted farm.

The discovery was made four years ago, shortly after the church party from which Mrs. Whitney never returned, according to the story told by her stepsons, who accuse their father of her death.

Whitney yesterday pleaded guilty to the charge of having raised a check on the town treasurer from $128 to $528.

The story told by Chester and Benjamin, Whitney's sons, who attended the church party with their father and stepmother, is being thoroughly investigated by the police. It deals in part with a quarrel known to have broken out between their father and his wife over the attentions paid to another woman at the party.

In the morning, say the two sons, they waked early and were surprised to find their stepmother was not around the house. Whitney told them, they assert, that she had grown angry and had left the place.

Soon the story of Whitney's difficulties with his wife became a noised around the neighborhood, and rumors were circulated that he had attacked her and thrown her into the well on the deserted farm. That was four years ago, but for some reason the investigation dropped and the search was abandoned.

It is this well, say the authorities now, that was meant by John Whitney, the fifteen-year-old son of Whitney, when he accused his father of having murdered his stepmother and thrown her body into a well.

Under the instruction of County Solicitor Harry N. Hurd, work on this well was resumed today.

A statement made by Whitney's sons declares their belief that the body of their stepmother will be found either in the well or at Alstead, where the church party their stepmother attended with them and their father was held.

"A year before our stepmother left we drank water out of the well, and it tasted all right. After she disappeared the water had the taste of decayed matter," continues the statement.

Whitney in court was a different man from the man his neighbors here had known. He appeared broken. The dashing appearance and prosperous air which had won him three wives and had attracted the attention of many other women had vanished. His sons, who were in court, said they hardly recognized him.

Police officers and detectives who are working on the case say that women have been the bane of the man's whole life. His fascination for them and theirs for him has been repeatedly responsible for his downfall, the officers declare.

Because of a woman, they believe, Whitney committed forgery and fled to Montana. There he changed his name from A. C. Doolittle to Whitney and returned East, where he married a second time to the woman whose body the police now are searching for.

After he fled from his home here he assumed the name of Clark and was married for a third time to a woman named Clark in Maine. She was with him when he was arrested.

IRISH SOCIETY PASSES MacSWINEY RESOLUTIONS

Resolutions on the death of Terence MacSwiney and the Cork hunger strikers were adopted at a meeting of the Charitable Irish Society at Boston City Club. A copy of the resolutions will be presented to Mrs. MacSwiney when she arrives in New York the last of the month. The resolutions praise MacSwiney's spirit of sacrifice for love of Ireland and refer to the "incredible stupidity of the British ministry" in dealing with the Irish situation.

James B. Connolly, who was on the fishing boat Esperanto at the Halifax races, described the event and denied that the American boat had "won by a Yankee trick," as reported to have been charged by a Boston clergyman.

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SPRINGFIELD YOUTH ARRESTED IN GOTHAM

New York, Nov. 15.—Two prisoners giving their names as Carl Hall, twenty-three, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Samuel Weiner, nineteen, of 85 Bell street, Springfield, Mass., were arrested today following a chase by police and firing of two shots at an alleged burglar in front of a hotel. The police said Hall was the man pursued and that Weiner was held as a "jollerer."

JAPS REBUFFED BY LEAGUE

Tumult Breaks Out at Geneva; Secret Sessions Voted

Geneva, Nov. 16.—Tumult broke out today in the meeting of the League of Nations Assembly when President Paul Hymans was accused of not reading motions before putting them before the delegates. The accusation was made by Sir George E. Foster of Canada during debate upon the rules. Japan suffered her first defeat when the Japanese delegation attempted to obtain a rule that half of the chairmen of committees be chosen from outside of Europe. The proposal was rejected.

Over the objections of Lord Robert Cecil, representing South Africa, the assembly voted in favor of secret committee meetings. England, France and Italy supported secret sessions.

The decision to hold committee meetings in secret shows that practically all of the league's work will be done behind closed doors. The assembly voted in favor of the issuance of brief communiques to the press.

A majority of the delegates probably will vote through a plan for organization of an international court after Bell street, Springfield, Mass., were arrested today following a chase by police and firing of two shots at an alleged burglar in front of a hotel. The police said Hall was the man pursued and that Weiner was held as a "jollerer."

SAILOR HELD IN DEATH OF GIRLS

Chicago Victims Drugged and Poisoned in' Cabaret, Theory of Coroner

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of a district notorious for alleged Black Hand crimes. The hat was found by Max Rifer, an employe of the American Express Company, and was identified by James Meeks and Albert McCarthy, the latter of Boston.

Meeks and McCarthy are at liberty today under bonds of $1,000 each, being held to answer statutory charges growing out of their alleged relations with the dead women.

WOUNDED WOMAN SOUGHT.

The search for a third woman was started when the police became convinced that such a person had been with the dead girls, and, although wounded, managed to crawl away before the arrival of the police.

"I am sure that someone else was wounded and dragged himself or herself from the place before the police came," said Coroner Hoffman. "I found that Miss Ramey had no wounds from which she could have lost a great deal of blood and that Miss Lillian Thompson had been scratched on the hands and had suffered from nose bleed before her death. From neither the nose bleed nor the scratch could she have lost such a quantity of blood as we found."

COMMUNISTS DEFEATED IN SAXONY'S ELECTIONS

Berlin, Nov. 16.—Incomplete returns from the election in Saxony show that the Communists and Independent Socialists were defeated. The Communists polled only 15,842 out of 1,750,000 votes. In Dresden and Leipzig, where the Communists were supposed to be very strong, they secured only one per cent. of the vote. Both the moderate and radical wings of the Independent Socialist party polled a weak vote.

GUN VICTIM

HENRY T. BUCKLEY.

Henry T. Buckley of No. 15 Lyman street, Revere, attendant at the Westboro State Hospital, died at the institution of a bullet wound inflicted some days ago by Thomas Sheehan, another attendant. Shot through the stomach, Buckley seemed on the road to recovery until a few hours before death.

Sheehan, the other attendant, has stated that the shooting was accidental. Buckley said the same just before he died, according to hospital officials.

Sheehan was arraigned in Westboro District Court, and held in $500 bail for hearing December 3. The charge against him is assault.

SAILORS DENY FLIRTING

Resent Remarks That They Are Responsible for Conditions on Common

Sailors from Charlestown Navy Yard today indignantly protested recent statements that they were responsible for much of the flirting with young or wayward girls on Boston Common.

They were particularly displeased with a recent published statement by Miss Mary J. Driscoll, head of the United States Hygiene Board, and for years connected with work for girls in Boston.

The specific statement they found objectionable was as follows:

"Many of the girls who flirt with strange men on the Common are not naturally bad. They go seeking companionship. The sailors who put into port here from all parts of the world flock to the Common because they know that there they can find what they seek."

To which the sailors counter:

1—Civilians are much more in evidence than men in uniform in "picking up" young girls.

2—Many of the girls are far from unsophisticated, as Miss Driscoll thinks, and take the lead in these affairs.

DEFENDS SHIPMATES.

A petty officer aboard the U. S. S. Utah acted as spokesman for the sailors in defending his shipmates and comrades of the uniform.

"I am not discussing the general question of women officers," he said. "I refer to the charge that sailors (and by that everybody means sailors of the United States Navy) are indulging more than others in questionable flirtations with strange girls, and that they are always to blame.

"Wouldn't it have been just as well to omit the slur to the uniform? There is certainly enough of that without making charges in the newspapers.

"We face plenty of hardships in the service. It is no pleasure to get shore leave if people are going to consider you a loafer and general undesirable."

TWO KINDS OF WOMEN.

"How do you think a mother with boys in the navy would feel after reading Miss Driscoll's statement? Miss Driscoll should remember that there are two kinds of women in the world, and always will be. It is most often the girls or women who start these flirtations, and make them obnoxious.

"During the Boston police strike we were living examples of violence. We were restricted to our ships. Then it developed that mercenary interests caused the trouble—a different organization altogether.

"If a drunken sailor is noticed on the street with a woman more or less said of it than ten similar incidents in which the men were civilians.

"Some people, too, always assume that a girl with a sailor is a 'pick-up.' Frequently she is the wife, future wife, or close relative.

"Most of the girls have had such affairs with civilians before they meet sailors.

"Isn't it about time to stop calling sailors 'gobs' and blaming them for everything, because a few make spectacles of themselves?"

PEABODY WAR VETERAN DENIES 'NEW MOTHER'

Peabody, Nov. 16.—Daniel V. Conwell, clerk of the Elderly store here, denied this afternoon that he was the man who found a new "mother" to care for him in Los Angeles. The local Conwell answers the description given in the reports, having been gassed while in France with the A. E. F., but has no intention of going to Los Angeles, where Mrs. L. E. Thompson of No. 420 South Pecan street, has arranged for the reception of her new "son."

DR. REDDEN DECORATED FOR SERUM DISCOVERY

The Navy Cross, awarded for distinguished service, has been given to Dr. William H. Redden of No. 40 Marlboro street, Back Bay, for his discovery of a serum for infantile pneumonia serum, which reduced the mortality in cases from 58 per cent. to 4 per cent. Dr. Redden served as lieutenant throughout the war and was stationed at the Chelsea Naval Hospital, at which institution he produced the serum. Dr. Redden was born in Boston and graduated from the Harvard Medical School.

MEXICAN TROOPS NEAR BATTLE WITH REBELS

Mexico City, Nov. 16.—A battle between rebels and Federal troops is imminent near Sierra del Barro on the Chihuahua-Coahuila State line. Rebel forces under General Lucio Blanco, General Marciano Gonzales and General Rafael de Torre entrenched themselves near Sierra de Burro and Federal troops have been sent against them.

VICTIM OF SHOOTING IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Sylvan Marinaro, 23 years old, of No. 89 Chambers street, who, it is alleged, shot Tony Uchany, 29 years old, of No. 91 Yale street, Chelsea, on an East Boston ferryboat in a quarrel over a girl, was in East Boston Court charged with assault with intent to murder. His case was continued. Uchany, is in a serious condition at the East Boston Relief station.

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DUTCH SHIP DISABLED 1,300 MILES FROM HERE

The Dutch steamship Oude Maas, carrying 1600 tons of china clay from England to this city, is helpless in the Atlantic from the breaking of her steering gear. The news of her predicament was wireless to the ship's agents here. The vessel is approximately 1300 miles from Boston.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
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Greek Cabinet Quits; Gounaris in Power

Lucerne, Nov. 16.—"The apparent defeat of the Venizelists in the Greek election means my early return to the throne at Athens," declared former King Constantine today. "I am not surprised at the result."

Paris, Nov. 16.—Belief was expressed in well-informed circles here today that Crown Prince George of Greece, who was expelled with his father by the allies, will succeed Alexander, instead of Paul.

London, Nov. 16.—The Greek cabinet, headed by Premier Venizelos has resigned as a result of the defeat of the Venizelists in the general election, said a news agency dispatch from Athens this afternoon.

Former Premier Rhallis, who was in power under the old regime, was called to form a new cabinet.

After conferring with political advisers, M. Rhallis refused to attempt the formation of a cabinet and the task was delegated to Demetrios Gounaris, a bitter political enemy of Venizelos.

The latest returns, according to Athens advices this afternoon, shows that the make-up of the new Chamber will be as follows:

Constantinists, 258 seats.
Venizelists, 118 seats.

Even former Premier Venizelos himself was defeated. All the members of the Venizelos Cabinet were candidates for election to the Chamber, but only two were successful.

M. Gounaris was formerly a member of the Cabinet and supported ex-King Constantine until Constantine's expulsion by the allies.

Prince Paul will be allowed to ascend the Greek throne without any conditions being imposed, according to advices from Athens to the Foreign Office. Newly elected members of the Greek Chamber have informed the diplomatic corps at Athens that there will be no change in the Greek foreign policies.

Constantine will not be invited to Athens, it was said. The allies fear that disorders in Greece and precautions are being taken at Athens to cope with them.

Admiral Coundouriotis, the new Greek regent, was requested to take up the full powers of government by the Venizelos Cabinet before it resigned, the news agency dispatch added.

Admiral Coundouriotis was elected regent by the Greek Chamber of Deputies following the death of King Alexander. Prince Paul was summoned to the throne in the line of succession, but he was absent from the country and Admiral Coundouriotis was chosen to serve as the head of the State until Paul arrived in Athens.

Two Venizelists were killed in political riots which broke out at Athens following the election.

$939,551 GIVEN TO UNITARIANS

Campaign Fund Is Making Big Gain, Reports to Headquarters Show

The Unitarian campaign for $1,000,000 showed total contributions amounting to $939,551 at noon today with every prospect that the million dollar mark would soon be reached.

Returns from Laymen's Sunday canvassing are coming in slowly. Ten new parishes have gone "over the top" with contributions totalling $64,224. Partial contributions from all over the country totalled $158,677.

The churches reporting "over the top" returns were the Church of Disciples, Boston, $15,000; West Newton, $20,384; Wilaston, $2,500; Sharon, $625 (additional); Lincoln, Neb., $1,413; Omaha, Neb., $5,000; Sanford, Me., $1,000; Belfast, Me., $600; Nashville, Tenn., $500; Montpelier, Vt., $2,000; New Orleans, $5,000, and Dallas, Tex., $10,000.

Among the partial contributions reported today were $25,000 from Philadelphia, $10,500 from Brooklyn, $10,152 additional in New York City, $6,000 from Providence, $10,000 from Chicago, $6,150 from St. Louis and $4,100 from Portland.

Partial subscriptions have been reported from the following local parishes: Dedham $2,500, First Parish, Hingham, $1,725, Hyde Park $150, Wayland $2,726, Westwood $1,441, Medford $1,400, Chicopee $440, Northampton $1,192, Marblehead $500, East Lexington $141, Melrose $1,100, King's Chapel, Boston, $3,600, First Church, Boston, $25,000, and Belmont $4,000.

Ernest G. Adams, chairman of the campaign, reports that Baltimore volunteered to increase its quota from $15,000 to $25,000 and that Washington was working with vigor. Frederick A. Delano, former member of the Federal Reserve board, gave a personal check for $5,000.

Miss Mary S. Locke, who is in charge of the drive in Westwood, has written songs to give impetus to the campaign.

BIG CLOTHING MAKERS CUT PRICES A THIRD

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Following the lead of Michaels, Stern & Company, all the other large clothing manufacturing concerns in this city today announced a reduction of thirty-three and one third per cent. in the wholesale prices of suitings.

The reduction made by Michaels, Stern & Company affected both overcoats and suits, but the other Rochester manufacturers, being members of the National Manufacturers Association and National Association of Retailers were bound, it is said, by an agreement months ago not to reduce the price of suits before Nov. 15, nor the price of overcoats before Dec. 1.

While admitting such an agreement exists, they deny that they were guilty of any Federal law violation.

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The Holy Cross College $1,000,000 building campaign, which does not close until Thanksgiving Day, is jumping ahead faster than contemplated by those in charge. The total today was $552,000. In every district throughout the country the different committees have cast aside their original quotas and have sent word to Holy Cross and her president, Rev. James J. Carlin, S. J., that if Worcester could raise 75 per cent. over her quota, they would go the home district of the college one better. Boston is going to pass the $80,000 asked of her by a very large margin.

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ONE MONTH OF BRITISH MURDERS IN ERIN

FULL TOLL OF DEATH IS HIDDEN

Known Facts Reveal Reign of Barbarism Likened to 'Butcher' Weyler's

How many men, women and children have been murdered in Ireland since Prime Minister Lloyd George announced on October 9 his plan to "pacify Ireland by stern methods" may never be known. Even English newspapers complain of the little news—and most of that "colored"—which crosses the Irish Sea.

The map printed herewith, therefore, is not and cannot be the complete story. It may, however, be enough to substantiate the recent statement of an Irish newspaper printed in the United States that:

"For a tithe of this barbarism, in Cuba, we declared war upon Spain, our old friend. America made war upon Spain because of Weyler's concentration camps. Is she now not even going to *protest* against the organization of wholesale murder?"

Since the American's map was drawn, a newspaper correspondent in London was permitted to summarize one day's story as follows:

Renewed reprisals are reported through the South of Ireland.

Several youths at Tuam are reported dragged from their homes, stripped and flogged.

Fr. Dillon, a parish priest at Clontuskert, is said to have been taken from his bed, beaten and threatened with execution.

The burning of another creamery at Milford brings the total up to twenty-nine acts of similar destruction within the last few weeks.

ISLAND'S AREA LIKE MAINE'S.

Some Americans, who have wept honest tears over stories of Turkish, Spanish and Russian tyranny, and who nearly went mad over Germany's rape of "poor little Belgium," are apparently inclined to get "pea-headed" if the American of Irish descent displays an interest in the cause of Ireland. Those objectors are unable to place themselves in the position of a man who, reading of the shooting of Irishmen near Bansha, in Tipperary—for example—recalls that Bansha was the village from which his grandfather came to America.

"A report issued from Dublin Castle on Tuesday evening of the murder of two sons of William O'Dwyer, the Ballydavid farmer, states that, according to an official telegram received from Ban-

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Death Score Smeared Red on Irish Map by Black and Tans

How Great Britain has taken murder in Ireland by the throat is shown—in very, VERY small part—by the following news bulletins, the number in each case referring to a similar numeral on the map.

"He," said the American Declaration of Independence, referring to George III., "has excited domestic insurrections against us, and has endeavored to bring on the inhabitants of our frontiers the merciless Indian Savages, whose known rule of warfare is an undistinguished destruction of all ages, sexes and conditions."

The score, in part:

DUBLIN (1)

Dublin, Oct. 15.—Three civilians were killed and thirty civilians wounded in an affray in Talbot street. British soldiers fired fifty rounds of shot in crowd of Sinn Feiners.

Dublin, Oct. 16.—Peter O'Carroll killed in his home on Manor street by armed men.

Dublin, Oct. 18.—Two men and a boy slain by secret agents. Houses searched by soldiers.

Dublin, Oct. 28.—Military cadets raided the offices of the Gaelic League, seizing the safe. Troops in armored cars make raids in different parts of the city.

Dublin, Nov. 1.—Kevin Barry, eighteen-year-old boy, was hanged today in Mountjoy Prison for assisting Sinn Feiners attack soldiers.

BELFAST (2)

Belfast, Oct. 16.—John Gibson, shipyard worker, killed and fifteen wounded when British soldiers fired into a crowd of shipyard workers.

Belfast, Oct. 18.—Troops fire into crowd and kill two civilians, wounding fifty.

Belfast, Oct. 26.—One man was killed and several others wounded in rioting here yesterday.

Belfast, Oct. 27.—Troops rushed to St. Matthew's Chapel to quell riot.

Belfast, Nov. 8.—Rioting on the Crumlin road, east of here.

LONDONDERRY (3)

Londonderry, Oct. 18.—Several police and soldiers wounded in dispersing crowd.

GALWAY (4)

Galways, Oct. 19.—Twenty-two men from two Galway villages were taken from their homes by Black and Tans and severely flogged. They were told everything would be "all right when Arthur Griffiths was President."

TIPPERARY (5)

Tipperary, Oct. 20.—Three men were hauled out of their homes here.

Tipperary, Nov. 2.—One policeman was killed during an attack on Ballyduff barracks. Subsequently the village portion of the town was partly burned in reprisal, and the soldiers looted the town.

ROSCOMMON (6)

Roscommon, Oct. 20.—One man was shot here by the Black and Tans.

GRANGE (7)

Grange, County Sligo, Oct. 25.—Three policemen were killed and three wounded in clash with a patrol here today.

THURLES (8)

Thurles, Oct. 26.—Two civilians were killed and another was wounded in an outbreak here.

Thurles, Nov. 1.—Business houses here bombed. Many houses shot up.

Thurles, Nov. 3.—More business buildings were bombed and burned in reprisals for attacks on soldiers by the Sinn Fein.

ENNISKILLEN (9)

Enniskillen, Oct. 26.—A Sinn Feiner was reported killed near the police barracks here today.

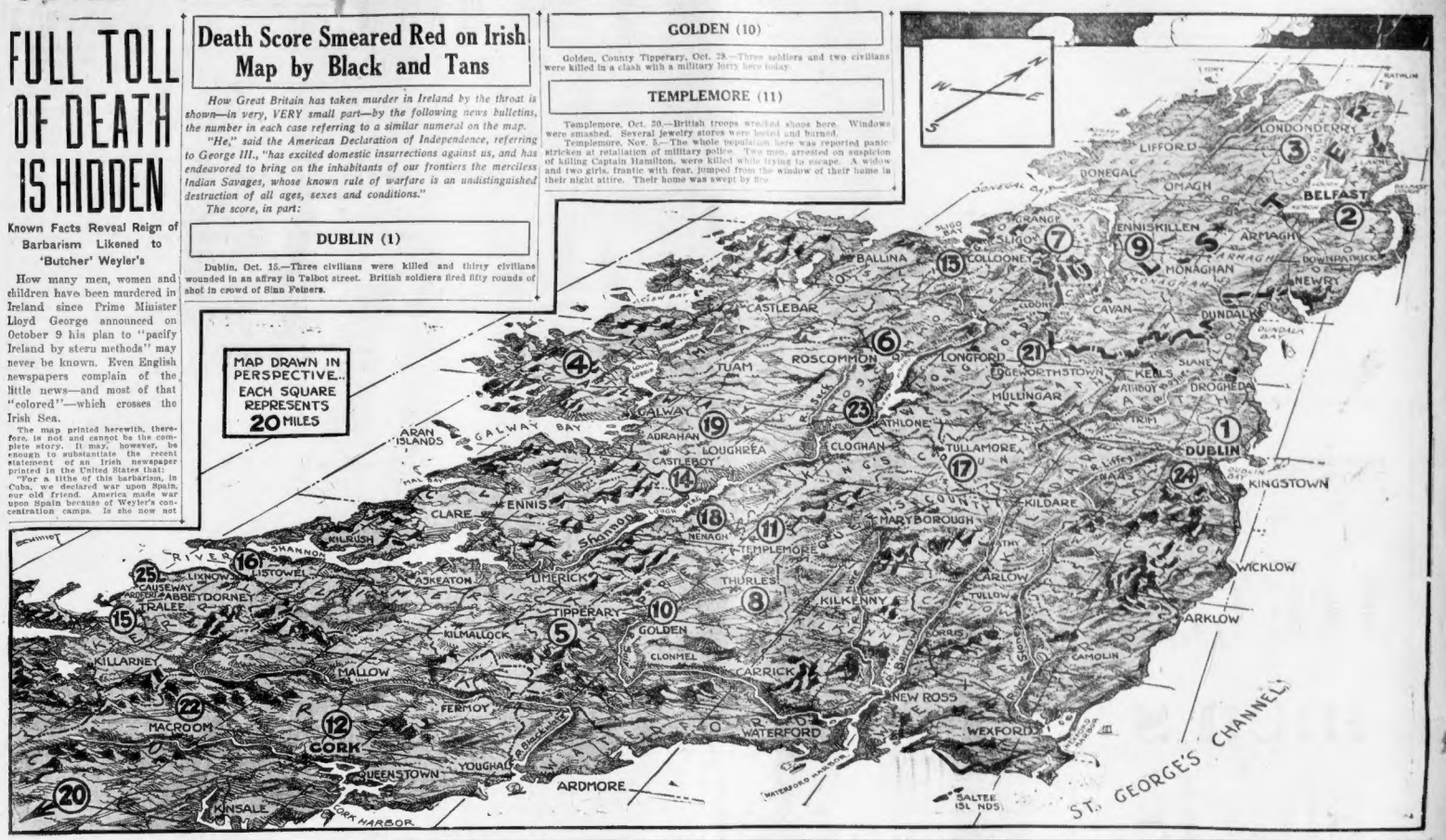
GOLDEN (10)

Golden, County Tipperary, Oct. 28.—Three soldiers and two civilians were killed in a clash with a military lorry here today.

TEMPLEMORE (11)

Templemore, Oct. 30.—British troops wrecked shops here. Windows were smashed. Several jewelry stores were looted and burned.

Templemore, Nov. 5.—The whole population here was reported panic stricken at retaliation of military police. Two men, arrested on suspicion of killing Captain Hamilton, were killed while trying to escape. A widow and two girls, frantic with fear, jumped from the window of their home in their night attire. Their home was swept by fire.



CORK (12)

Cork, Oct. 30.—Black and Tans wrecked and looted a number of wholesale liquor stores.

Cork, Nov. 8.—A laborer named Mulcahy was shot dead on failure to answer soldier's challenge.

CALLOONEY (13)

Callooney, Oct. 30.—Two policemen were shot in clash with occupants of a motor car here.

CASTLEBOY (14)

Castleboy, County Galway, Oct. 30.—Three Black and Tans were killed and one man wounded in a clash here.

KERRY (15)

Kerry, Nov. 1.—A large part of this county and Tralee are reported to be in a state of revolt.

West Tralee, Nov. 3.—A large part of this district, which is in County Kerry, is in a state of semi-revolution.

Tralee, Nov. 5.—Uniformed men emerging from police barracks, carrying quantities of petrol and armed with hatches, set fire to the houses of a number of well-known Sinn Feiners.

Tralee, Nov. 8.—Starving women and children were reported stalking like shadows through the streets here in search of bread, while Black and Tans stood guard over the town's small food supply. Many fires were set in different parts of the town. Much suffering.

Tralee, Nov. 9.—The famine is growing here. Starving men and women and children were denied bread by the ukase closing all the shops, even the bakeries. Black and Tans were in control everywhere. The streets were denied even to substantial residents. An unsuccessful attempt was made early today to burn the Carnegie Library and Technical Schools. Part of Tralee is in ruins as the result of recent disorders.

LISTOWEL (16)

Listowel, Nov. 1.—Troops are burning the countryside. Abbey and Lixnow report incendiary "reprisals."

TULLAMORE (17)

Tullamore, Nov. 2.—Armed men in uniforms of soldiers committed many acts of destruction here and in other parts of Kings County. A moving picture house was burned, the transport workers' hall demolished, and a block of their offices, including the Sinn Fein Club and an independent newspaper, wrecked. A number of private houses were attacked, and many of the inhabitants left the town hurriedly.

NENAGH (18)

Nenagh, near Limerick, Nov. 5.—Houses and shops of the people here were fired following attacks on the military.

Nenagh, Nov. 8.—John O'Brien, one of two men shot here, was an American citizen. American consul is investigating.

ADRAHAN (19)

Adrahan, County Galway, Nov. 8.—Three civilians, one of them a woman with baby in her arms, were shot here today when a military lorry tore through the streets. The soldiers fired promiscuously.

UNION HALL-BANTRY (20)

Longford, Nov. 5.—The coastguard station at Union Hall, near Skib bereen, about forty miles southwest of Cork, on the southwestern coast of Ireland, was attacked during the night, and one man was killed.

Bantry, District, Nov. 8.—Airplanes, tanks and infantry were employed by the British today in desperate guerrilla fighting with Irish Republican troops. (Bantry is forty-four miles southwest of Cork.)

EDGEWORTHSTOWN (21)

Edgeworthstown, Nov. 5.—Two soldiers were killed in a pitched battle between Sinn Fein volunteers and British troops.

MACROOM (22)

Macroom, County Cork, Nov. 6.—Two hundred Sinn Feiners were captured here, following an encounter with police and soldiers. Macroom is twenty miles west of Cork. Trains to stop running November 14.

ATHLONE (23)

Athline, Nov. 8.—Uniformed men destroyed two farmhouses by setting them afire with gasoline.

ON THE LIFFEY (24)

Dublin, Nov. 8.—Two civilians were shot during a clash on the banks of the River Liffey.

CAUSEWAY (25)

Causeway, County Kerry, Nov. 8.—Seven Irish volunteers were today reported killed in battle with Black and Tans.

Ardfert, near Causeway, Nov. 9.—Uniformed men dragged a citizen from his house and shot him dead. A laborer in a nearby field was wounded when he protested.

RED CROSS HAS PRESSING NEED

$200,000 Fund to Help Care for War Heroes Not Yet at "Peak of Disability"

Veterans of the world war are going to need the services of the American Red Cross more and more as time goes by. This is the gist of a statement issued today by Russell G. Fessenden, chairman of the Department of Home Service of the Boston Metropolitan Chapter in explaining the need of the $200,000 which that chapter is raising by the fourth roll call now under way.

"Estimates of experts show," said Fessenden, "that the peak of disability of those war heroes from tuberculosis is going to come in 1924 and heaviest toll from mental disability in 1927. The problem confronting the Red Cross, therefore, is a heavy one."

The present need of the chapter is something like $25,000 monthly to care for the ex-service men and their families. In October 663 families or individuals applied for aid in Metropolitan Boston. That was an increase of 233 over the former month.

Fessenden pointed out that less money and more trained service is now required in meeting the demands made on these men. Many of the former service men are beginning to feel the effects of the strain, breaking down with heart trouble, nervous or mental illnesses or tuberculosis.

Fessenden says it is hoped the government ultimately will assume a larger share of the financial burden now carried by the Red Cross.

TRIES SUICIDE ON WEDDING EVE

South End Youth, Fearing Expose as Thief, Uses Rope in His Cell

Ashamed to have his fiancee learn that he was a thief, Fred E. Currie, aged twenty-six, of No. 821 Albany street, South End, attempted suicide on the eve of his wedding in his cell in the Dudley street police station.

Currie, who was captured, the police say, as he was on the point of leaving an apartment in the house where he roomed with seven suitcases filled with stolen goods, tearfully begged the officers to give him another chance. He told them of his love affair, of the little Lowell girl who believed him to be an industrious young automobile salesman, but the police refused and he was locked up.

Miss Lucy Ducharme, aged eighteen, who was to have been married to Currie today, says that she is going to stand by her fiance until he is proved guilty. She admitted, however, that if the charges against the youth are true she will refuse to see him again.

Patrolman James McPhee, who had arrested him in the apartment house at the point of a gun, heard groans issuing from Currie's cell, and on investigating found him suspended by a rope improvised from a shirt. The youth, who was slowly choking to death, was cut down and given first aid treatment.

Currie told the police that he had met Miss Ducharme while serving in the army two years ago.

He was arraigned in the Roxbury Police Court today on the charge of breaking and entering and larceny.

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TRUTH OF IRISH SLAUGHTER SUPPRESSED

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shn, County Tipperary, Edward and Francis O'Dwyer of Ballydavid, were shot dead outside their own house on Tuesday night."

To those whose knowledge of Ireland is more or less limited it may well be pointed out in connection with the map that Ireland's area in square miles is about equal to that of our own State of Maine, while the population of Ireland is about one-fourth larger than the population of Massachusetts.

BRITISH SUPPRESS TRUTH.

It may be that the truth about conditions today in Ireland will be given to the world through that Committee of One Hundred which is about to begin its work in Washington, and before which have been invited scores of Irish, English and American witnesses. That the truth is not obtainable today is indicated in the initiated in any number of ways, a pretty good "straw" being the paragraph which recently closed a column story in the Montreal Star:

"Mr. J. Annan Bryce, M. P., the brother of Lord Bryce, writing a letter to the Times, tells the full story of his wife's arrest at Holyhead and her return under arrest to Ireland, because she was prepared to tell the truth about Ireland in England."

When Lloyd George uttered the words which unleashed the Black and Tans upon Ireland he was speaking on historic ground in Wales. The sons of Irishmen may find something hopeful in a paragraph from one of the Welsh newspapers concerning the setting in which the Prime Minister attempts to close the door on Irish hope of independence:

"Many centuries ago, in that distant period when our Cymric ancestors had been driven, before the ruthless might of Saxon arms, to seek habitation among rugged mountains of the extreme west of this island, one of the greatest of our bards predicted that the time would come when one of their race would be found in the seat of authority, in the capital of their Saxon conquerors—overawing full sway over their destinies.

RECALLS ANCIENT PROPHECY.

"That ancient prophecy was repeatedly brought back to mind on the day following the demonstration at Llandudno, when Mr. Lloyd George proceeded to the ancient and historic borough of Carnarvon to receive the presentation of the national flag of Wales with the Red Dragon—the ancient symbol of the Cymric people—emblazoned thereon. The presentation was made amid the ruins of the famous castle which Edward I. erected for the avowed purpose of crushing the spirit of the Welsh people.

"Reprisal" is defined by the dictionaries as an "act of retaliation, public or private; especially, in war, the infliction of punishment or death on prisoners in retaliation for outrages or inhumanity committed by the enemy."

PROBE IS DENIED.

In the House of Commons a few weeks ago, Sir Hamar Greenwood, Chief Secretary for Ireland—a native of Ontario—said that the attacks upon the police and military in Ireland since January 1 had resulted in the loss of 118 lives, including 100 police and 18 military. There had also been 667 attacks on police barracks, resulting, in most cases, in their complete destruction.

Former Prime Minister Asquith, characterizing the Balbriggan affair as an "act of frightfulness," said official inquiry was demanded because the police and military had "gone far beyond the limits of legitimate self-defense." Mr. Arthur Henderson, M. P., moved for an inquiry into the reprisals. Bonar Law—native of New Brunswick—declined to grant a public inquiry and the Henderson motion was rejected, 348 votes to 79.

According to all accounts, conditions in Ireland have been going rapidly from bad to worse ever since the speech at Carnarvon. Winston Churchill responded to the key sounded by Lloyd George and at Dundee called the Irish patriots a "murderous gang," spoke of "De Valera and his gang of murderers," said England would not scuttle before a "gang of cowardly assassins," and thought the job in Ireland might take "two or three years more of what we are going through." And, from day to day:

"A laborer named James Linehan, of Mallymakeere, Mid Cork, was shot dead on Friday night. It is alleged that he was taken from a shop in the village by members of the auxiliary police, put against a fence and shot dead.

BRITISH FIRE INTO CROWDS.

"Terror reigned at Galway for hours after 10 o'clock on Friday night. A shot lodged in a soldier's hand, and immediately a score of police turned out and commenced to fire through the main street. People fled in all directions, children were trampled upon and women fainted. One man was seriously injured.

"The residence of Mr. Patrick Mehan, Dublin, an ex-district inspector of the Royal Irish Constabulary, was raided by the military. It is said that they found a bomb and an Irish Volunteer's uniform. Mr. Mehan's two sons, Patrick and Jeremiah, were arrested."

These three items, like others which preceded them, from British weeklies. "The lives of English journalists who had gone over to get accurate information had been threatened, and they had had to leave Ireland. Most of them," Sir Hamar Greenwood said, "belonged to newspapers which generally criticised the government."

The earliest of the dispatches which follow—and which cover a period of less than five weeks—is dated a few days after the Carnarvon announcement of the Lloyd George policy of "reprisals."

One month later to a day, in his Guildhall speech, Lloyd George said: "Unless I am mistaken, by the steps we have taken, we have murder by the throat."

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Philadelphia, Pa.—Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses? If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. He says eyeglass wearers more are troubled and poor sight had any other one thing. "Many whose eyes were failing say they had their eyes restored through the prescription. This wonderful free prescription. One man says after trying it: "I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses." Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active druggist store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Dissolve one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many needlessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very wonderful remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any druggist and as it is in tablet form for prescribing, I feel sure it will be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family. It is sold in Boston and vicinity by all leading druggists.—Advertisement.

TAKE SALTS TO FLUSH KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if you feel Backachy or have Bladder trouble.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their efforts to filter it from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like you relieve your bowels; removing all the acids, waste and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney region, sharp pains in the back or sick headache, dizziness, your stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment; the channels often get irritated, obliging you to get up two or three times during the night.

To neutralize these irritating acids and flush off the body's urinous waste get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine and all bladder disorders disappear. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys and stop bladder irritation. Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which millions of men and women take now and then, thus avoiding serious kidney and bladder diseases.—Advertisement.

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GRANTS WOMEN DIVORCES

Wife Tells Suffolk Court Husband Nearly Smothered Her With Pillow

Two women were granted divorces and the custody of their children, both on grounds of cruel and abusive treatment, in the Suffolk County Divorce Court today.

Marion Regan, an attractive blonde, testified that her husband, Albert, left work rather than refused to work after their marriage, and tried to prevent her from doing so. She said he struck her in the face on Washington street, knocking her down, and on another occasion in their West End home almost smothered her with a pillow. They were married September 13, 1916, in Boston. She said he also threatened to shoot both.

Catherine P. Mather was granted a divorce from Grover C. Mather of East Boston, an inspector of engines for the New Haven railroad. The woman testified that her husband was habitually intoxicated, and beat her continually. While she was in the hospital in 1919, she said, he chased her around the ward and into the corridor. Attendants were forced to send for a policeman.

Lieutenant Charles R. Perkins, United States Navy, now living on Elm street, Somerville, said that in July, 1916, his wife, Lena, told him that she cared for someone else. They continued to live together, he said, but shortly after that he was ordered on a cruise and when he returned found his wife had gone. He has not seen her since. They were married in June, 1914, in Portland, Oregon. Perkins was granted a divorce on the grounds of desertion.

Howard L. Allen, who served with the Kilties in France, said that he was married to Corinne Perry in Boston, November 5, 1911. Their married life lasted one year, and ever that, he said, was punctured by absences of several days each by her. She left him in 1912. He has made many attempts since his discharge from the army last year, Allen said, to locate her, but has not been successful. The case was continued by Judge Bell, pending confirmation of his story by another witness, which his attorney promised to produce.

Three children were left motherless when his wife Charlotte deserted their home in Quincy in 1913, Sylvas Cannon declared. Through detectives, he said, he has since traced her to Somerville and found her living with a man, who had formerly boarded at their home. They were married in Prince Edward Island, Canada. The father was awarded a decree for desertion and was given the custody of the three children.

Judge Bell indicated his disapproval of having young children testify about their parents' misdeeds when he refused to permit Stephen, the thirteen-year-old son of Mrs. Magdalena Jasinkas, South Boston, to take the stand in her behalf. She was granted a divorce from her husband, Joseph, on her charge of cruel and abusive treatment and awarded custody of the son, their only child.

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CENACLE CONVENT SALE FOR 2 DAYS AT HOTEL

A two-day jubilee and sale of Christmas gift articles will be held at the Copley-Plaza tomorrow and Thursday from 3 to 10 p. m. for the benefit of the Cenacle Convent, Brighton. The Association of the Misses Clement and Mara, vice-presidents, will direct the affair, which will be held jointly by the groups of women who make monthly retreats at the convent.

Unusual interest attaches to the sale this year, as it is the tenth anniversary of the establishment of the convent here. Donations of articles or money may be sent to the hotel or the convent on Lake street, Brighton.

SETBACK FOR TAXATION BILL

Supreme Court Dismisses Petition for Referendum Brought by Voters of Rockland

Judge Jenney of the Supreme Court has dismissed a petition brought by David Perry Rice and other voters of Rockland for a writ of mandamus to compel Attorney-General J. Weston Allen to certify to the Secretary of the Commonwealth a proposed bill to change the methods of taxation and have the same submitted to a vote of the people under the Initiative and Referendum provision of the amended Constitution of Massachusetts.

The bill provides that all income from real and personal property, in addition to incomes from trades and professions, shall be taxed by the Commonwealth in the manner provided by law for the taxation of income. All real estate subject to the proposed income tax shall be exempted from the imposition and levying of proportional and reasonable assessments, rates and taxes, as at present authorized by the constitution; and all real estate not yielding income shall be assessed and taxed at the uniform rate of $12 per thousand of its market value.

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Newton Choral Rehearsal

The Newton Choral Society has opened its second season with more than 150 singers. Five rehearsals have already been held at the Congregational Church, Newtonville, in preparation for the first concert early in December.

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Wilson May Have to Buy a Turkey

Washington, Nov. 16.—It begins to look as if President Wilson will have to buy a turkey in the open market this year. None of the usual offers of the "biggest turk in the country" has come in for the White House Thanksgiving spread so far, and Secretary Tumulty is worried.

BOSTON LEGAL AID BANQUET

Society to Celebrate 20th Anniversary at Harvard Club Tomorrow

The twentieth anniversary of the formation of the Boston Legal Aid Society will be celebrated at the Harvard Club tomorrow by a banquet, at which all those who have ever served the society as attorneys will be present.

Arthur D. Hill, corporation counsel and city of Boston, who for the first seven years of the society's existence acted as chief counsel, will speak on "The Foundation of the Society." Reginald H. Smith, author of "Justice and the Poor," who made a national investigation of the relation of the courts to the poor man for the Carnegie Foundation, will speak on "The National Significance of Legal Aid Work"; Charles Rugg, son of the present chief justice of the Supreme Court, will speak on "The Legal Aid Bureau and the Bar"; John J. Heffernan Representative-elect for the Brighton district, who is now an attorney on the society's staff, will speak on "The Legal Aid and the Legislature"; George R. Bisbee of the Harvard Law School will speak on "The Harvard Associates"; Edward G. Fischer will tell "How the Legal Aid Helped to Win the War by Enforcing the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act"; a forecast of the future will be made by the present general counsel, Joseph D. Taylor.

The report of the Society for 1920 made by Edward G. Fischer showed that 4,720 applicants were received and $90,542.40 was the amount recovered, which, however, included the amounts paid to clients from the settlement of several small estates.

LYNN LEATHER STORE ROBBED

Boston Man Hunted; Rented House Where Stolen Goods Were Found

Shoes and leather worth $2,000 were stolen from the store of Morris Schwartz, No. 187 Summer street, Lynn, early today.

Later in the morning two bags of leather were recovered in a house at No. 189 Blossom street, Lynn, according to Lynn police.

Search was immediately began in Boston, Revere and Lynn for Anthony Carcioli, who rented the Blossom street house a few days before the theft.

According to officers of the Joy Street Station he is also wanted as the result of a shooting affray in Stamford street some weeks ago, when his father was wounded.

Schwartz told the police he believed the door was unlocked yesterday by two men who entered the store and were taken all through it on the pretense that they wanted to buy a large stock.

VANDERLIP DENIES UPRISING IN MOSCOW

Stockholm, Nov. 16.—Washington D. Vanderlip, the American banker, who has just concluded for the purchase of $1,000,000,000 worth of American goods by soviet Russia, arrived here on route home from Moscow. He denied rumors of an uprising at Moscow.

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Stocks Strong in New York; Call Money Opens at 8%

PRICES HIGHER FROM START

Rails, Steels and Oils Are Leaders of the Forward Movement; Trading Active

By W. H. ROSS, Financial Editor.

Stocks were strong in New York at noon, prices attaining a still higher level in the second hour. Rails, steels and oils continued to lead the forward movement. The market was active, first hour transactions totaling 236,000 shares. Call money opened at 8 per cent. Among strongest stocks were Crucible, Reading, Southern Pacific, Atlantic Gulf, Marine preferred and Baldwin. General electric was a weak issue, receding more than three points late in the morning and selling at its lowest since 1918. Fisk Tire sold at 1920 low. In the foreign exchange market demand sterling opened 2¼ cents higher and was showing 3¾ cents gain before 11 o'clock.

INITIAL MOVEMENT UPWARD.

The initial price movement was upward, stocks advancing at the start and growing stronger. Rails set the pace and were followed by oils, steels, sugars and equipments. Coppers had a better tone and metals were firm, although not conspicuous. Sugars were notably strong during the first thirty minutes, gains in this group ranging from around 2 points to nearly four. Punta Alegra did the best. Baldwin was one of the most active issues and was well above par. Republic made the largest gain among steels and Mexican Petroleum among oils. Carriers to advance the most were Southern Pacific, Reading, Union Pacific, Great Northern preferred, Northern Pacific, New Haven and New York Central. All were up a point soon after the opening. Shipping shares figured in the advance, Atlantic Gulf gaining three points during the first hour. Marine preferred rallied after its Monday slump.

COVERING CAUSED ADVANCE.

The advance was credited to covering of short contracts more than to anything else, although the lower call rate of the previous session inspired hope that the period of easy money is at last to be fulfilled. The market is heavily oversold and temporarily at least is supposed to be getting support from some banking interests. Recent liquidation, forced by small fry, in which has been eliminated for some time, but by interests that are undisposed to be sold out at their pleasure. The bear crowd is still confident and claim that the decision to resume dividends will be checked only temporarily and will be resumed before the week is over or as soon as current financial readjustments are completed. Some of the leading bears are heavily short of stocks but have failed to get the harvest that they are arrogant in their attitude. Odd-lot buying by investors has been in evidence and the aggregate that it is understood to been a sustaining influence for prices this week.

BANK LOANS ON FURS ARE AMPLY SECURED

It is denied by President Poole of Funston Brothers & Co., the National Exchange of St. Louis, that banks are liable to lose a large sum through loans on furs. He said: "Our total loans are approximately $20,000,000—probably a little less. Banks are amply secured. We have made large profits in the past, when prices were advancing, but in the decline shall lose some of those profits, but not all. Banks will lose nothing."

He also said that fur dealers are not in a position where they will be forced to sell at any price. It is expected that the St. Louis fur sale will begin February 7.

Car Loadings Decrease

For the week ended October 31 there were 973,126 cars loaded with commercial freight, which was the first decrease in a month. For the three preceding weeks loadings had exceeded the million mark. This is one sign of a falling off in general trade. The decrease was greatest in the Eastern district.

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New York Sub-Treasury Loss

New York Sub-Treasury lost $1,698,000 to the banks on Monday, making a cash deficit since Friday of $1,849,000.

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New York Stocks

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Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Alas Rubber	33	33½	33	33½
Alaska Gold	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
Allis-Chalmers	37	37	36	36
Am Ag Chem	73¼	74¼	73½	73½
Am Can	46⅝	46⅝	45½	45½
Am Car Fdy	126½	127¼	125½	127¼
Am Cotton Oil	42¾	43	42¾	42¾
Am Drug Syn	8½	8½	8	8⅛
Am Hide & L pf	8	8	8	8
Am Hide & L pfs	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼
Am Int Corp	53¾	54	53¾	54
Am Locomotive	87	87½	86	87
Am Safety Razor	10½	10½	10½	10½
Am Ship Corp	32¾	33	32¾	33
Am Smelt	53½	53¾	53¼	53¼
Am Steel Fdy	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
Am Sugar	98	98	98	98
Am Sumatra	77½	77½	77	77
Am Tel & Tel	99½	99½	99½	99½
Am Woolen	65½	67	65½	67
Anaconda	41¾	42¼	41¾	42¼
Atchison T & S F	85	85	85	85
Atchison T & S F pf	77	77	77	77
Atlantic Gulf	14¾	15	14¾	15
Atlantic G W I	115	117	114½	117
Baldwin Loco	102	102	99¾	101¾
Balt & Ohio	44¾	45	44¾	45
Beth Steel B	89½	90¾	89½	89½
Beth Steel B to sub	103	103	103	103
Butte Superior	32¾	33¼	32¾	32¾
Butterick	11	11	11	11
Cal Packing	66	66	66	66
Can Pacific	118	118¾	117¾	118½
Cent Leather	57¾	57¾	57¼	57¼
Cent de Pasco	36½	36½	36½	36½
Chandler	76¾	76¾	76¾	76¾
Chi & Ohio	64	64	64	64
Chi Gt West pf	24½	24½	24½	24½
Chi Rock Island	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Chi R I & P	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾
Chi R I & Pac	37¾	38	37¾	37¾
Chi St P M pf	56	56	56	56
Chile Copper	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Coca	52¾	53	52¾	53
Corn Cola	23	23	23	23
Cr R & Min	59½	59½	59½	59½
Columbia Graph	14	14¾	14	14
Con Candy	7	7	7	7
Con Gas	83½	83½	83½	83½
Con Inter-Cal	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Con Textile	17	17	17	17
Corn Product	77¾	78	77¾	78
Crucible S	69¾	70¾	69¾	70¾
Cuban Am Sug	31¾	32¾	31¾	32¾
Cuban Cane Sug	27	27¾	26¾	27¼
Cuba Cane S pf	78¾	79	78¾	79
Distillers Secu	105½	107	105½	106½
Denver & R G pf	29	29	29	29
Detroit Edison	87	87	87	87
Dominion Steel	16¾	17	16¾	16¾
Distillers Corp	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Erie	13½	13¾	13½	13¾
Erie 1st pf	23½	23½	23½	23½
Erie 2d pf	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Gen Asphalt	47¾	48	47¾	48
Gen Cigar	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
Gen Electric	121¾	122	118½	118½
Gen Motors	14	14	14	14
Gen Motors pf	87	87	87	87
Gen Motor D T pf	70½	71¾	70½	71¾
Goodrich	27¾	28¼	27¾	28
Goodyear T pf	103½	104	103½	104
Great N pf	82¾	84	82¾	83¾
Great Nor Ore	35	35¼	34¾	35
Gulf & States	60	60¾	59¾	60¾
Hasbro Baldw	18½	19	18½	19
Hudson Motor	39½	40	39½	40
Inspir Motor	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Int Agricul	15	15	15	15
Int Agricul pf	45	45	45	45
Int Harvester	97	97	97	97
Int Mer Marine	34¾	35	34¾	35
Int Mer Marine pf	100	100	100	100
Int Nickel	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Int Paper	59¾	59¾	59¾	59¾
Int Paper pf	93	93	93	93
Int Pump	44¾	45	44¾	45
Kelly-Springfield	42	42	42	42
Kennecott	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Keystone Tire	10	10¼	9¾	9¾
Lackawanna	42	42	42	42
Lehigh Valley	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾
Loew's Theatres	19	19¼	19	19¼
Louisville & Nash	109	109	109	109
Mack Trucks pf	84½	84½	84½	84½
Marine pf	141¾	143	141¾	143
Marland Refin	18½	18¾	18½	18¾
Mex Petro	176¾	180¾	176¾	180¾
Miami	17	17	17	17
Missouri Kans Tex	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Missouri Pac pf	2	2	2	2
Mo K & T	6	6¼	6	6
Mo K & T pf	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Nat Acme	24¾	25	24¾	25
Nat Biscuit	115	115	115	115
Nat Enameling	44¾	45¼	44¾	44¾
Nat Lead	89	89¾	89	89¾
Nevada Cons	10¼	10¼	9¾	9¾
New Haven	20½	21¼	20½	20½
New York Air	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
New York Central	80	80¾	79½	80¾
N Y Chicago & St L	77	77	77	77
N Y Chicago & St L pf	87	87	87	87
N Y N H & Hart	30	30¼	29¾	30¼
N Y Ontario & W	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Norfolk & West	106	106	106	106
Northern Pacific	79¾	80¾	79¾	80¾
Ohio Cities Gas	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Ohio Fuel Supply	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Ontario Silver	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Pacific Gas & El	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
Pacific Mail	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Pan-Am Petro	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Pan-Am Petro B	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾
Penn R R	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
Penn Seaboard	37¾	37¾	37¾	37¾
Peoples Gas	59¾	59¾	59¾	59¾
Pere Marquette	22¾	23	22¾	23
Pere Marquette pf	58	58	58	58
Pierce-Arrow	14¾	15	14¾	14¾
Pierce Oil	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Pitts Coal	61	61	61	61
Pitts & W Va	29¾	30	29¾	29¾
Pitts Steel	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Pitts Steel pf	92	92	92	92
Ray Consolidated	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Reading	91¾	91¾	90¾	91
Republic I & S	97¾	98¾	97¾	98¾
Republic I & S pf	88½	89	88½	89
Royal Dutch	94¾	95¼	94¾	95¼
Savage Arms	17¾	18¼	17¾	17¾
Seaboard Air Line	8	8	7¾	7¾
Seaboard Air Line pf	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Sears-Roebuck	111¾	111¾	110¾	111¾
Shattuck	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
Sinclair	50¾	50¾	49¾	50¾
Sloss Sheffield	84¾	84¾	84¾	84¾
Southern Pacific	94¾	95¾	94¾	95¾
Southern Railway	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Southern Railway pf	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Stand Oil of N J	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
Stromberg	51¾	51¾	51¾	51¾
Studebaker	44¾	44¾	44¾	44¾
Sub Boat Corp	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Tenn Copper	23¾	24	23¾	24
Texas Co	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
Texas & Pacific	22¾	23¼	22¾	22¾
Tob Products	80	80	80	80
Trans Con Oil	9	9	9	9
Union Oil	23¾	24	23¾	23¾
Union Pacific	127½	128	127½	127½
United Fruit	203	204½	203	204
U S Alcohol	71½	71½	71½	71½
U S Food Prod	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾
U S Retail Stores	61¾	62¼	61¾	61¾
U S Rubber	62	62	61¾	61¾
U S Rubber 1st pf	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
U S Smelting	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
U S Smelting pf	50¾	50¾	50¾	50¾
U S Steel	107¾	108¼	107¾	108¼
U S Steel pf	119¾	119¾	119¾	119¾
Utah Copper	63¾	64¼	63¾	64¼
Utah Securities	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
Vanadium Steel	49¾	50½	49¾	50¼
Wabash	20¾	20¾	20¾	20¾
Wabash A	38	38	38	38
West Maryland	11	11	11	11
West Maryland pf	44	44	44	44
West & L E	11	11	11	11
White Motor	41	41	40½	41
White Sulp	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
Wm Cramp	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾
World Fr S pf	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Lib 3½s	93 10	93 10	93 10	93 10
1st 4s 1932-47	90 10	90 20	90 08	90 20
2nd 4s 1927-42	89	89	88 28	89
1st 4½s	2-47	88 50	88 50	88 50	88 50
1st 4¼s 1932-47	90	90	90	90
4s	1927-42	5 88 16	88 12	88 16
4th 4¼s		88 20	88 40	88 20	88 40
Victory 4¾s		99 90	99 90	99 90	99 90
Victor 4¼s		95 18	95 36	95 78	95 36

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Dividend Declarations

Solar Refining Co. declared regular dividend of $35 a share, in addition to semi-annual dividend of $5 a share, on the Preferred stock, payable December 15 to holders of record November 30.

American Telegraph & Cable declared dividend of 1½ per cent, payable December 1 to holders of record November 26.

White Motor Co., declared quarterly $1 dividend, payable December 31 to stock of record December 15.

Standard Oil of New Jersey declared quarterly dividends of $5 on common and $1.75 on preferred, both payable December 15 to stock of record November 26.

Illinois Pipe Line Co. declared semi-annual dividend of $16, payable December 31 to stock of record November 30.

COPPERS LOWER IN BOSTON

New England Rails Advance and Packing Issues Are Higher; Curb Active

Stocks were rather weak in Boston, although a large number were unchanged on initial transactions. Coppers gave the market its weak tone. Packing issues and New England rails counteracted this, however, by a display of strength. Low for the year were recorded for Calumet & Arizona, Utah Apex, Butte & Superior, Quincy, U. S. Smelting, St. Mary's Land, Hancock Mason, Atlas Tack and American Oil & Engineering. The last named sold down to twenty cents a share. The fall in copper shares continued to be accompanied by talk about possible suspension of operations at producing mines. Producers are becoming more and more reluctant to turn out metal which can hardly be sold, surplus has been greatly reduced.

Gains of from one to three points were made by New Haven, Swift & Co. and American Sugar. The latter stock boasted of a premium in New York last night and rose from par to two points were shown by American Woolen, Swift and Boston Elevated. Issues that Maine Central, Quincy, Mexican Petroleum, Utah Apex, Utah Copper, Wolverine, Utah Metal, Ray Consolidated, Calumet & Arizona, Calumet & Hecla and Copper Range.

Among issues to sustain smaller losses were East Butte, Island Creek, Venture, Arcadian Copper, Atlas Tack, North Butte and Walworth. Packing issues were ready by Cuban Cane, American Sugar, The latter stock boasted of a premium in New York last night and rose from par to two points were shown by American Woolen, Swift and Boston Elevated. Issues that Maine Central, Quincy, Mexican Petroleum, Utah Apex, Utah Copper, Wolverine, Utah Metal, Ray Consolidated, Calumet & Arizona, Calumet & Hecla and Copper Range.

CURB MORE ACTIVE.

The Curb was more active today, showing more resistance against the opening and with prices mixed to trend. Early leaders were Crystal, Eureka and United Verde Extension. Among those to show gains on first sales were Allied Oil, Arizona Tip Top, Consolidated, Eureka and Verde Mines. Early losses befell Black Hawk, Crystal, Chief, Hecla, Divine, Merrimac Development, Midway and United Verde Extension.

At the end of one hour Eureka was up 7 cents at 64 cents, Bagdad 2 cents at 37 cents and Black Hawk 2 at 18 cents. Among losses were Crystal 1 cent at 23 cents, Midway 1 cent at 33 cents and United Verde Extension 2 points at 29. Allied Oil, Arizona Tip Top and Verde Mines had lost their gains.

BOSTON FINANCIAL NOTES.

The Gilliland Motors Co. incorporated in No. 11 well in West Hemlock Pool, Ocean County, N. J. Capital $1,000,000.

The Olympia Theatres, Inc., has notified the Commissioner of Corporations of a decrease in the common capital stock from 80,000 shares to 40,000 shares, par $100 a share.

Worcester county trust fund in October was 2251,000, an increase of $1,000 over September. Income for October was $1,000 and expenses $500, against $1,000 and $500 respectively in September.

The Plymouth Cordage Co. is offering its shareholders rights to subscribe to 1,000 shares at $20 a share, to be known as common stock, ex-dividend. The rights will be issued to stock on the basis of dividends and disbursements, the $100 par value common stock will be converted into $20 shares.

For the September quarter the Davis-Daly Copper Co. reports net earnings of $61,000, after expenditures of $217,062 and net profits, $68,-000, against $61,000 and $68,000 in the preceding quarter. For the second quarter of this year and a net of $129,000 in the first quarter.

The Utah Metal & Tunnel Co. has called a meeting of stockholders for November 20 to consider a proposition to increase the capital stock from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000, par value $1 a share, the proceeds to be used for the purchase of additional property and for development purposes. The present capital is fully subscribed, $600,000 having been sold in October, bringing the total amount to $900,000. The company has declared dividends totaling $80,618.24 as follows: $40,309.12 in May and $40,309.12 in October.

Mohawk Coal Co. reports for Sept. 30,

RAILROADS LAY OFF 3,075 MEN

Pennsylvania Drops 2,500 More; New York Central Lays Off 500; B. & A., 75

New York, Nov. 16.—Notices of the suspension of 2,500 men on the Pennsylvania, 500 men on the New York Central and 75 men on the Boston & Albany Railroads were received here today.

One thousand of the Pennsylvania workers affected are employed on the Philadelphia division. All are to be laid off within the next four days. Reduction of the force since late in October will then total about 12,500 men.

Four hundred shop men and 100 other employes are out of work today on the New York Central. Suspension of the 75 Boston & Albany employes was ordered at Albany tomorrow.

Water Too Cold, So She Can't Drown Herself

White River Junction, Vt., Nov. 16.—Because the water in the Connecticut River was too cold, Mrs. Anna Gray, aged twenty-eight, couldn't commit suicide. She tried twice; waded out into the stream up to her armpits and then gave it up. It just couldn't be done on such a cold day. Just about that time she was discovered and is now at home under a doctor's care. Trouble with her husband, who does not live with her, was the reason for the attempt, the police claim.

DONATE NOW TO BASKET FUND

Weary Widows and Orphans Send In Pathetic Pleas for Christmas Dinners

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to give something that she had to someone who was less fortunate. I know that the Boston American will spend this money to good advantage."

LARGE FAMILY IN NEED.

One of the most pathetic cases thus far unearthed by the Boston American investigations was found in Roxbury. The family consists of eight persons; but one of them will be missing in a few days, as he, a boy of fifteen, is about to take his place in the Tuberculosis Hospital at Mattapan in a battle to save his life from the dread "white plague."

When the Boston American Investigator entered the little four-room apartment in which these eight persons live, she found an appalling condition of affairs. It is doubtful if a worse case of poverty could be found in Russia today. The only furniture in the house consisted of a small kitchen stove, a kitchen table, two beds, a broken ice chest and three pieces of worsout carpet.

Think of it, two beds for eight people to sleep on! As a matter of fact only seven sleep in the two beds, as the father is content to sleep on the floor on three pieces of carpet in order that the children may rest better in the bed.

Soup bones served as chairs. At the time the Boston American Basket Fund Investigator entered the house some Indian meal was boiling on the stove. Dinner that day for the entire family consisted only of the Indian meal. There was not another bit of food in the house, not even a loaf of bread.

As proof that the family had not given up faith in God, it may be stated that the mother of these needy children was in church when the investigator called. The tenement was clean, indicating that the woman had done the best she could with what she had.

FATHER EARNS BOY'S PAY.

The husband, a clean-cut looking man, who was confined at a Middleboro hospital for two years through illness, said: "I am not very well and left the hospital because I wanted to keep my family together. I would not part with one of my children for anything.

"I make only a boy's pay, as I am not strong and cannot do the work that a man should do. In fact, some boys at the factory where I am employed get more money than I do. But I am doing the best I can as I want to keep my family together. My fifteen year old son is going to the hospital in a few days, so it is impossible for him to work."

His wife said that she is heartbroken when she looks around at her four rooms and sees so little in them. She said that dinner for many days had consisted only of Indian meal, as it is the cheapest thing she can buy with the small amount of money at her disposal.

After investigating this case, the Basket Fund Editor sent this Roxbury woman $14 which had been sent in by kind-hearted readers. Five dollars came from a person who signed himself "Homeless of Taunton." $2 came from "H. B. C." of Medford, who called at the American Office, $5 from an actor now playing in Boston, and $2 from another man.

In addition, coal and chairs were sent through the generosity of Mrs. O. D. Williams of Braintree avenue, Quincy, whose attention was called to the great worthiness of the family, and Mrs. Flora L. Roff of Tonawanda street, Dorchester.

TAUNTON MAN GIVES.

In sending $5 for this family, "Homeless of Taunton" wrote: "Enclosed please find $5 for the mother of six children who had nothing but corn meal for food. Don't wait for Christmas; give it to her now."

This is only one of many cases that the Boston American Basket Fund plans to help. Wherever we find needy families we will extend aid regardless of nationality, religious belief or color. The only question for our investigators to determine is DOES THE FAMILY NEED FOOD?

A dancing party in aid of the Basket Fund is being arranged by Mrs. O. D. Williams of Braintree avenue, Quincy. A Quincy hall will be engaged for the occasion, and a first-class orchestra will supply music for the event. The party will be held about the middle of December. Among those who are assisting Mrs. Williams are: Her husband, Orrie D. Williams, a Boston business man, Mrs. Flora L. Roff, Mrs. Ethel Poutre, Mrs. H. Ireland, Mrs. Gladys Loney, Mrs. Elizabeth A. Stearns, Miss Douglass Evans and Newman Savage.

Expressions of good will are contained in many of the letters from contributors:

"J. H. V." of Bristol, Rhode Island, wrote: "Enclosed find bank note for $20 for your Christmas Basket Fund. I sincerely hope last year's contributions will be multiplied many times, and I know they will be if residents of this community remember that it is more blessed to give than to receive. Yours for the happiness of the kiddies."

"D. C. P." of Winthrop, in sending $5, wrote: "Enclosed find check to help swell your worthy fund. I wish it might be more, for the cause is admirable. It trust the fund will be far greater this year than ever."

Benjamin W. Wilbur of East Lynn wrote: "Enclosed find $3 to help you in your most noble work for such a worthy cause in memory of my mother."

Barbara and Jessie F. Stewart sent $25 and said that it gave them great pleasure to do so.

George H. Curry of Perrin street, Roxbury, a candidate for City Council, sent $5. Mr. Curry is widely known in Ward 12, and is employed by the New Haven Railroad.

Stone & Forsyth Company of Kingston street, paper dealers, have again remembered the basket fund this year with a substantial contribution of merchandise to be used in connection with the work of the fund. On learning that the Basket Fund Editor was in need of certain material this firm gladly donated it, following its lead of last year.

Among the recent pleas received for food is that of a Roxbury child:

"I am writing a few lines and hope you won't forget us at Christmas. There are seven children in the family. I am the oldest, and am fourteen years old. The baby is only three weeks old. My papa has been home sick for the last four weeks with his back, and we had it very assistance:

"I hope you will not forget me this hard to get along. We won't have anything for Thanksgiving, so please don't forget us. I am sure we won't have anything if you forget us. Hoping you won't. I remain."

A widow from Roxbury asks for help:

"The last five years past you have made by children and myself very, very happy by sending us a Christmas basket. I am sure that without your help we would have nothing for Christmas. Things don't look any brighter for me this year. I am a widow with four children and they are all looking forward to you for their Christmas dinner this year. I am sure that if you can send us a basket again this year I will appreciate it more than I can ever tell you. Thanking you for your kindness to me in the past years, I am."

BOY'S PLEA FOR FOOD.

A South Boston boy's letter reads: "Will you be very kind to send us a Christmas basked for Christmas? There are seven in my family. We are very poor and cannot buy anything for Christmas because my father can't work, and my mother is sick all the time. Kind sir, will you please send us the basket of dinner to my home?"

A widow from Roxbury sent the following letter:

"I am a widow, old and very poor. I had a nephew help me, but he went away when the war started, and I haven't heard from him since. Hoping to hear from you very soon, I remain."

The following letter also comes from a Roxbury woman:

"Will you kindly send me a basket as my son, my only support, has been more or less unable to work since coming home from France where he was for two years with the A. E. F. At present he is not working, so I will find it hard to buy a dinner this Christmas. Thanking you, I am."

A South End widow wrote:

"I am a widow and the mother of four children. The oldest is eleven years old. I have a hard struggle to keep them fed and clothed. If you will please remember us with a basket Christmas it will be a blessed cropping of the day and I will be a grateful mother."

Twins Swell Basket Fund

Marion A. Wright, left, and Effie Wright of Allston, seven-year-old twins, who have donated to the American's Basket Fund to give poor kiddies a cheerful Christmas.

An old woman from Roxbury asks assistance:

"I hope you will not forget me this Christmas. I am now almost seventy-three years old and I am very poor indeed. I have a sick sister, and it will be such a grand treat for us to get one of your Christmas baskets. Thanking you in advance, I remain."

LATEST CONTRIBUTIONS.

Recent contributions to the Basket Fund follow:

Boston American	$1,000.00
Previous acknowledgments	2,750.41
Kate, Jim and John Graham	3.00
D. C. P.	5.00
Mary L. Ives, 11 months	1.00
White, the Beauty Photographer	10.00
In memory of my mother, by Benj. W. Wilbur	2.00
J. H. V., Bristol, R. I.	20.00
Barbara A. and Jessica F. Stewart	25.00
M. W. F., West Somerville	2.00
Helen D. Montmarit	1.00
Margaret and Mary Kimball	5.00
Phyllis, in memory of Uncle Joe	2.00
Mrs. Borden Corel	5.00
Total	$3,831.41

KILLS SISTER WITH SHOTGUN

Pittsfield Children at Play When Weapon Is Accidentally Discharged

Pittsfield, Nov. 16.—John Flanagan, eight years old, took his older brother's shotgun, inserted a shell in it and shot his three-year-old sister, Winifred Flanagan, inflicting a wound in her chest from which she died five minutes later.

The children were at play in a bedroom at the time, Assistant Medical Examiner Joseph D. Howe attributed death to accident.

THE DEAF HEAR

Miss E. A. Davis, residing at No. 1 Davis St., Hudson, Mass., says: "I do to my knowledge can hear witness to the success of the Osmo-Chemic Physicians in treatment of deafness. Sixteen years ago my mother was almost totally deaf. I was only with extreme difficulty that we were able to make her hear at all, and this was then 12 years old. We learned of the Osmo-Chemic Physicians and their marvelous success in the treatment of deafness. The result was just as forecasted by the Osmo-Chemic Physicians. Her hearing returned suddenly. One day when we were all at dinner I smelled my mother as usual. In reply she said, 'It is necessary for you to speak so loud I can hear you just as well if you don't.' Our family are all in favor of the Osmo-Chemic Physicians."

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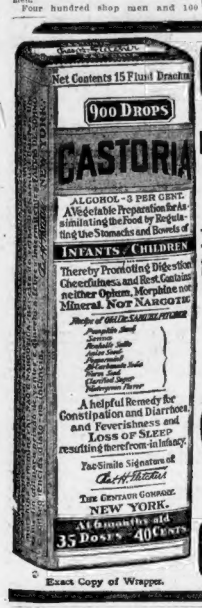
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RECORDS COVER A CENTURY

One of the interesting places in Lowell, Mass., is the old apothecary shop on Merrimack Street, established in 1827. This location is still a drug store. The old prescription books have been preserved and form an interesting record covering nearly a century.

Perhaps one of the most interesting books is that of the year 1855. On one of the pages of this book, that dated June 9th, 1855, is written the original prescription for Father John's Medicine. This prescription was compounded for the Reverend Father John O'Brien at the old drug store on that date, and was so successful in treating Father John's ailment, which was a severe cold and cough, that he recommended the medicine to his friends and parishioners. In going to the drug store and calling for the medicine they always asked for "Father John's Medicine," and in this way the medicine got its name and was advertised.

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LIQUOR LICENSES WILL CARRY ON INTO 1921

Washington, Nov. 16.—Holders of permits to dispense liquor for the year 1920 will be allowed to carry on their businesses under the old licenses for several months after January 1, the Internal Revenue Bureau announced today. There have been so many applications for permits that the bureau could not investigate them by the end of the present year. Holders of 1920 licenses, however, must make application for renewal by December 1.

Hoseman Is Retired

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Choice high grade Blanket Robes, as pictured here, in several pretty patterns and colors.

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Sale of Choice Silks
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Ruffled Lace Vestees, various patterns of lace, in white and cream shade..... **75c**

Sample Neckwear, including lace collars, Swiss embroidered collars and cuffs and cuff sets... **50c**

Sample Neckwear, slightly mussed and soiled, including lace vestees and collars, embroidered swastika collars, etc..... **5c**

Wool Scarfs, large size, knotted fringe ends; brown, heather mixtures; also other shades.. **4.50**

Marabout Capes, good quality; silk lined. Black, brown and natural..... **4.50**

Gloves

Women's Lambskin Gloves, two clasp, black, gray and mode. **1.85**

Women's Capeskin Gloves, with one clasp..... **1.50**

Women's Suede Gloves, gray, one clasp, black back.. **2.00**

Women's Long Chamoisette Gloves, in broken sizes.... **1.15**

Misses' Apparel

Misses' Long and Short Coats, of polo cloth and wool velours; all full silk lined throughout; a variety of styles and shades. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 yrs. (50 only)..... **25.00**

Misses' Sample Wraps, also long coats and short coats; all fur trimmed and full silk lined, in a variety of shades. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 yrs. (59 only)..... **45.00**

High class garments at the price of inferior grades
Special Lot of Tailored Suits
at this extremely moderate price
24.50

Many Fur Trimmed
Some have smart two-in-one collars. Styles are tailored, belted, ripple and the long straight lines. Lined throughout and warmly interlined.

Good Warm Heavy Winter Coats
24.95

Full Length. Large Collar. Belted Models. Patch Pockets. Button Trimmed. Half Lined.

Dressy Coats, high grade full length models, lined and interlined, pleated back. Button trimmed and slit pockets. Attractive collars. Excellent coats at this price..... **49.50**

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Fourth Red Cross Roll Call—Enroll Early

QUITS RACE

MRS. F. CHESTER EVERETT

Women's entrance into politics is adding the refining touch.

Here is a woman candidate who decides to withdraw her name from the list of those seeking school committee berths because to leave it on would mean the expenditure of $1,400 to her city.

The altruistic personage is Mrs. F. Chester Everett, of No. 35 Fellsmore road, Malden, who withdrew her papers for election to the school committee. She decided not to run when she learned that there would have to be a special primary, under the city charter which provides for such an election where there are more than twice as many candidates as there are offices to fill.

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GRIFFITH AND NEW FILM STAR AT PARK THEATRE

Those who were fortunate enough to attend the Park Theatre last night saw D. W. Griffith in person, and also Carol Dempster, the leading woman of the new Griffith photoplay, "The Love Flower."

The great producer and his star each spoke a few words to the audience, telling them something about the conditions under which the picture was made.

"The Love Flower" was filmed in the Bahama Islands. It was while en route to these islands in a big motor boat from Florida that Griffith and his party nearly lost their lives in a storm last Winter.

"The Love Flower," framed in its comic setting, is an unusually dramatic story of the wonderful love of a daughter for her heart-broken father, who, being hounded to the very end of the world, dares to plan the undoing of the man who is desirous of bringing disgrace upon them. The male part is finely played by Richard Barthelmess, while Carol Dempster is charming in the part of the heroine.

MALDEN AUDITORIUM—Yesterday, at the Malden Auditorium, the Temple Stock Co. presented Julian Eckert Goodman's comedy drama, "Mother." Its reception was of the heartiest, and the great power of its appeal struck surely to the hearts of the audience.

CODMAN SQUARE THEATRE—Yesterday's attractions at the Codman Square Theatre, Dorchester, were topped by four acts of high-class vaudeville. The topline photoplay offered Clara Kimball Young in her supreme photoplay vehicle "Marriage a la Carte" in which she wore some of the season's most gorgeous creations in gowns and wraps and stunning hats.

Other Theatres

ARLINGTON THEATRE — Tom Wise, in "The Proper Spirit," a new play produced by Mrs. Henry Harris, began an engagement at the Arlington Theatre last evening. Excellent reports of the piece have come from the road. It will be reviewed in Wednesday's American.

PARK SQUARE THEATRE—Grant Mitchell, in "The Champion," a new play, began an engagement at the Park Square Theatre last night. Mitchell was last here in "A Tailor Made Man." The piece will be reviewed in Thursday's American.

SCOLLAY SQUARE OLYMPIA—Plenty of real jungle atmosphere is shown in scenes from "The Revenge of Tarzan," which was shown last evening at Gordon's Scollay Square Olympia. The tall, waving trees, the dense underbrush, the wild animals—nothing is missing.

COLUMBIA THEATRE—Yesterday's attractions at the Columbia Theatre included four acts of capital vaudeville, with a dash of music, dancing and comedy that pleased immensely. The photoplay attractions were headed by Bert Lytell in "The Price of Redemption."

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Let the Remarkable Effect of Orangeine Offset the Worst Kind of Weather Dangers

Feet sopping wet, clothing damp, a feeling of chilliness, then a sneeze

If This Storm Gets Me I'll Beat It With Orangeine—It Has Never Stopped Forty Ways for Sure Results

or two—just the combination that ORANGEINE puts to rout and saves you from a hard cold. A host of people keep ORANGEINE on hand to break up a cold and all its train of—headache, pains, neuralgia, rheumatism, exhaustion, grippe and the restlessness that robs the system of sleep.

ORANGEINE is a real remedy. Its action is quick, you get relief almost at once, but it is sure, certain, it never misses fire. If you are subject to headache, from whatever cause, always remember that ORANGEINE is your ally, safe, reliable. Get a package from any druggist. The full formula is given in every package so you may know what you are taking.

ORANGEINE is put up in either tablets or powders, as preferred.

Army Blankets
$3.97, $3.00, $2.00

New, 75% or More Wool..$3.97
New, 75% or Less Wool..$3.00
Gray, 4½ lbs., single, 66x84 in. Cotton Double Blankets, gray..**$2.00**

By Parcel Post for above add 15c each. Remit, money order, check or cash to

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EDITORIAL

Is this the first time your attention has been attracted to the somewhat unusual advertising running alongside this statement?

If it is we wish to point out a few things for your undoubted advantage.

The first thing you will note is the complete absence of claims or exaggerated statements. Then you will notice that no former prices are quoted—one of the conservative rules of this house.

Then you will notice that the merchandise in general gives you the impression of dependable quality. The price may be low, but you felt instinctively that the article is probably of good character. You will notice the descriptions, while brief, give an adequate idea of the article—in most cases helped out by an illustration sketched directly from a sample.

You may get the impression that it is all quite a bit different from the advertising of any other store.

All these things are obvious. What isn't so clear is what we wish to add—and which is much more important.

Every piece of merchandise advertised in these "Wednesday-Thursday Specials" is carefully selected on this basis—will it be so convincing in respect to quality, seasonableness and value that it will result in large sales for us and satisfaction to the purchasers?

What you could not be expected to know is that every item advertised—not only today, but every "Wednesday-Thursday"—is placed on sale at so low a price (even when this means a loss to us), that it is without question, as far as we can determine, the best value—or if you like—the biggest bargain of the kind to be found in Boston.

We hope, therefore, that you will regularly read the "Wednesday-Thursday" announcements. By means of offering this dependable merchandise at the lowest prices quoted anywhere within our field of distribution we have attracted a great deal of business to this store.

On the other hand we have done a good thing for many thousands of people who have read the advertising and have bought the goods, for we have in the aggregate saved them many thousands of dollars on goods which they had to buy and which otherwise would have cost them a great deal more.

R.H.White Co.

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Mail and Telephone Orders Filled—Beach 3100

Wednesday and Thursday
Misses' Velour Coat-Wraps
For **$21.00**

Handsome design, copy of high-priced model.

Silk lined throughout, silk embroidery on back and on large collar.

Polo Mixture Coats, full length; pockets, belt...$21.00

Second Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
Not every size in each model.
Women's Dresses
Serge or Satin
For **$12.75**

Tunic dresses
Straightline dresses
Long waisted dresses

Navy Blue.
Black.
Silk braid, embroidery or button trimmed.
(34 to 44)

Ready Made Dresses, Second Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
Imitation Venise Lace
Roll Lace Collars
For **85c**

22 inches long.
Two attractive designs.

Street Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
Crepe de Chine Chemise
For **$1.95**

Lace yoke shirred front, lace edging at bottom.
Tailored hemstitched top.
Fine quality crepe de chine, flesh color.

Second Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
Infants' Wear

Children's warm flannelette sleeping garments, drop seat style, sizes 2 to 6 years.....$1.39

Children's Beacon bath robes, pink, blue and rose, sizes up to 6 years.....$1.50

Second Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
Stamped ready to embroider
Stamped Huck Guest Towels
Four For $1.00

Hemstitched ends.

Street Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
200 Tailored
Velour and Hatters' Plush Hats
For **$4.75**

Six smart styles Velour Hats, in black, brown, beaver, henna.

Hatters' Plush Hats, some with velvet or duvetyn facings, smart grosgrain bands.

Second Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
West Electric Hair Curlers
For **21c card**

Smallwares Dept., Street Floor, Centre

Wednesday and Thursday
French Jet Lavelliere
For **85c**

Floral medallion with pendant. Handsome jet beads. Illustrated.

Street Floor, North

Wednesday and Thursday
Toilet Goods

Hot Water Bottles (guaranteed)..81c
Listerine, 7 oz. bottle.....37c
Benzoin, Glycerine and Rose Water Lotion.....41c
Face Powders, all shades, popular makes.....35c
Scented Talcum, best brands.....19c

Street Floor, North

Wednesday and Thursday
Woven Glass Japanese Lamp Shades
For **$1.25**

6¼ in. high, 5¾ in. diameter. Several attractive designs.

Fourth Floor

Wednesday and Thursday
For Indoor as well as Outdoor Play
Toy Liberty Guns
A Game of Skill
For **90c**

Outfit consists of Liberty Gun made of good solid material, Liberty Game, Score Card, Two Hoops, Extra Shooting Rubber Band, with general descriptive circular. (No danger, as sticks, stones or shot cannot be shot from this gun.)

Toy Dept., Basement

BRITAIN TO CONTINUE WAR GAS EXPERIMENTS

London, Nov. 16.—Pending the decision of the League of Nations on the use of poisonous gases in modern warfare, the British Government has decided that it will continue its researches and experiments with gases, says Premier Lloyd George.

HAVE COLOR IN CHEEKS?

Be Better Looking—Take Olive Tablets

If your skin is yellow—complexion pallid—tongue coated—appetite poor—you have a bad taste in your mouth—a lazy, no-good feeling—you should take Olive Tablets.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—a substitute for calomel—were prepared by Dr. Edwards after 17 years of study.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a purely vegetable compound mixed with olive oil. You will know them by their olive color.

To have a clear, pink skin, bright eyes, no pimples, a feeling of buoyancy like childhood days you must get at the cause.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act on the liver and bowels like calomel—yet have no dangerous after effects.

They start the bile and overcome constipation. Take one or two nightly and note the pleasing results. Millions of boxes are sold annually at 15c and 30c.—Advertisement.

SLOW DEATH

Aches, pains, nervousness, difficulty in urinating, often mean serious disorders. The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver bladder and uric acid troubles—

GOLD MEDAL HAARLEM OIL CAPSULES

bring quick relief and often ward off deadly diseases. Known as the national remedy of Holland for more than 200 years. All druggists, in three sizes.

Look for the name Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

Men and Women

Women as well as men are made miserable by kidney and bladder trouble. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney medicine, is highly recommended by time tested.

Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that so many people say it has proved to be just the remedy needed in thousands of even the most distressing cases.

At druggists in large and medium size bottles. Send for free pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root. Pamphlet also has many thousands of testimonials from grateful people telling you about it. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., and enclose ten cents; also mention the Boston American.—Advertisement.

SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

Photo by MARCEAU

Miss Elizabeth Nightingale, prominent member of the 1918 Sewing Circle, whose engagement to Whitney Frye has just been announced.

By SARA ORCUTT.

The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Nightingale and Whitney M. Frye was announced on Saturday. Miss Nightingale is the daughter of Mrs. Samuel Nightingale of "Kaqlonskka Farm," Jaffrey, N. H., and Beacon street. Miss Nightingale is a member of the 1918 Sewing Circle and a graduate of Vassar, class of '20. Mr. Frye is the son of Mrs. Edmund Bailey Frye of No. 21 Chestnut street and Wilton, N. H.

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Mr. and Mrs. Richard T. Crane, Jr., arrived at their home, No. 1550 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, last week, coming from their Summer home, "Castle Hill," Ipswich, noted for its wonderful gardens.

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Nearly every seat is taken for the pageant, "The Open Door," at Symphony Hall tonight for the benefit of Atlanta University. Among the patronesses are: Mrs. Lorin F. Deland, Mrs. John Homans, Miss Ellen Mason, Mrs. J. Mott Hallowell, Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Eliot, Miss Rose L. Dexter, Mrs. Thomas Wentworth Higginson, Mrs. Benjamin L. Pitman, Mrs. George W. Vaillant, Professor and Mrs. Bliss Perry, Mayor and Mrs. Andrew J. Peters, Mrs. Ralph W. Hunstead, Miss Harriet S. Curtis, Mrs. Samuel A. Eliot, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Fickman, Mrs. Pitt Dillingham, Mrs. Daniel Merriman, Mrs. Charles Sanger, Professor and Mrs. Edwin H. Hall, Mrs. George G. Bradford and Miss Anita S. Ward.

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One of the leading debutante events today was a tea given by Judge and Mrs. Charles Thornton Davis to present their eldest daughter, Miss Mary T. Davis, at their home, No. 21 Allerton street, Brookline. Miss Davis is a graduate of the Winsor School and is a member of the Junior League.

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Mrs. Samuel D. Warren, Jr., of No. 252 Marlboro st., has as her guests at Virginia Hot Springs, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Washington B. Thomas, of No. 20 Gloucester street and Prides Crossing.

WARNING TO U. S. BY McSWEENEY

Says British Propaganda Is Most Sinister World Has Ever Known

Edward F. McSweeney of Boston declared the British propaganda in the United States the most sinister the world had ever known, in an address before the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick at New York.

He charged that this propaganda, designed to make America in effect a British colony, was of such a character that no European nation would tolerate it.

"The London Times of October 12 admitted that 30,000 propaganda films were being shown in the United States," he said.

"It is also worthy of mention that the American agencies supporting the British-inspired reform of school text books are all behind the Smith-Towner bill, which is an effort to Bolshevize American public schools.

"Another important machine of propaganda is the occasion of the Pilgrim Tercentenary. The religious enthusiasts who crossed the sea in 1620 are, by a wave of the pro-British wand, being transformed into conscious pioneers of British imperialism.

"Propagandists are also seeking to create a mythical Anglo-Saxon race, and to salve for England the credit for every worthy word or deed of people speaking the English language.

"In connection with propaganda, the American people will do well before accepting at face value accusations against the United States Shipping Board. It would be in line with anti-United States propaganda in South America, and attempts of the British to ruin our shipping and our trade.

"Sir George Paish is the head of another drive at America. He is seeking to have us cancel the war loans of the recent allies. This would mean that England would save five billions and the United States would bear the whole burden of ten billions.

"Leaders of English propaganda are attacking the Irish for 'hyphenism.' The Irish have always been good citizens. The Irish here are a sane and saving influence, in the face of this impudent British attack on the United States."

ARMY SURPLUS YARN

100% Wool, gray, two-ply, in skeins. Used in single strands for socks, and double strands for sweaters, etc. Per pound, 79c

By parcel post add 3c a lb.

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Attach $250,000 Painting for Bill

Kansas City, Nov. 16.—"La Belle Normandie," a painting valued at $250,000, which is on exhibition at the Fine Arts Institute, fell into the hands of the law today to satisfy a judgment for $75. It is said the debt was contracted by Harr J. Han, the owner.

EARLY HOLIDAY PAYROLLS ORDERED FOR CITY HELP

President Moriarty is the sponsor for a council order which will permit city and county employes on the monthly pay-roll to draw their pay on November 23 in time to purchase Thanksgiving dinner and on December 23 so as to have money for their Christmas gifts.

The usual time for the payment of these employes is at the end of the month. The council order instructs heads of departments to make up the payroll earlier so that the two great holidays will not find the employes without money. Several thousand men and women employes are affected by the order.

U. S. APPROVES FIUME PACT

Italy Relinquishes Dalmatian Claim in Favor of Jugo-Slavs

By International News Service.

Rome, Nov. 16.—The treaty concluded by the Italians and Jugo-Slavs at Rapallo settling the dispute over Fiume and other territory on the Adriatic littoral, has been approved by the United States, Great Britain and France, Premier Giolitti announced today.

Under this agreement Fiume is to be an independent state and Italy relinquishes her claims to part of Dalmatia which will be annexed by Jugo-Slavia. A commercial treaty will be negotiated later.

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JEWELRY STORE WINDOW SMASHED IN $900 THEFT

Worcester, Nov. 16.—Smashing the plate glass window of a jewelry store at No. 374 Main street, a thief secured goods valued at $900, including fourth break in the last seven years ing watches and rings. This is the at this store.

Physician Explains Who Should Take Nuxated Iron

Practical Advice on How To Help Build Up Great Strength, Energy and Endurance.

"Lack of iron in the blood not only makes a man a physical and mental weakling, nervous, languid, easily fatigued, but it absorbs more iron of that vitale force, that stamina and strength of soul which are necessary to success and power in every walk of life," says Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly physician of Bellevue Hospital (Medical Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital. "I may also transform a beautiful, sweet-tempered woman into one who is cross, nervous and irritable. I have strongly emphasized the great necessity of physicians making blood examinations of their weak, anaemic, run-down patients. Thousands of persons go on year after year suffering from physical weakness and a highly nervous condition that is due to lack of sufficient iron in their red blood corpuscles without ever realizing the real cause of their trouble. Without iron in your blood your food merely passes through the body, something like coals through an old mill with rollers so worn apart that the mill can't grind. For want of iron you may be an old man at forty, dull of intellect, poor in memory, nervous, irritable, and all run down, while at 50 or 60 with plenty of iron in your blood you may still be young in feeling, full of life, vim and energy, being brimming over with vim and energy."

But to get the iron you take is organic iron—Nuxated Iron—and not metallic iron which people usually take. Organic iron—Nuxated Iron—is like the iron in your blood and like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples, while metallic iron is iron rust or scrapings from the suction of rusting nails or small pieces of iron filings and is not assimilated nearly as readily as organic iron. Nuxated Iron recommended by many physicians is a well known organic iron and is now being prescribed and dispensed under a definite guarantee to restore strength in every case of nervousness or lack of iron in the blood within a few weeks' time or the money will be refunded. It is not a secret remedy as its formula is printed in part on every package. Many nervous people annually are using Nuxated Iron. It quickly helps make rich red blood, strength and nerve force are created and gives increased energy and vitality. Your money will be refunded if it does not do as claimed. If you are not entirely satisfied after using the regular package it does not produce satisfactory results.

For sale by all druggists.

NUXATED IRON ENRICHES THE BLOOD—GIVES YOU NEW STRENGTH AND ENERGY

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Tremont and Beacon Streets — Boston 9, Mass.

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We Give and Redeem Legal and Profit-Sharing Stamps

Bargains for Wednesday

Wool-Mixed Serges and Suitings

In the best shades of navy and black. Wednesday only. Yard..... 58c

STREET FLOOR

Novelty Linings

Beautifully printed on light and dark colored grounds, 36 inches wide. Regular price 85c a yard. Yard..... 49c

STREET FLOOR

Boys' Mackinaws or Suits

This lot contains about 100 suits, sizes 8 to 16; about 50 mackinaws, sizes 8 to 16; about one dozen corduroy suits, sizes 3 to 5, and fifteen overcoats in sizes 2 and 3. They are all remarkably good values. Not every size in each kind, but a good assortment to select from. Garment..... 5.00

THIRD FLOOR

Women's Fall Weight Union Suits

Heavy cotton, low neck, sleeveless, knee and ankle length, tailored band finish, sizes 34 to 44. A perfect-fitting garment and a standard well-known brand reduced from $2.75 and $3.00..... 2.00

STREET FLOOR

Men's $1.79 Percale Shirts

Opportunities like this do not present themselves very often and should not be overlooked. It is your chance to obtain good-looking, well made shirts of fine count percales in neat patterns at a remarkably low price. 800 in the lot. Sizes 14 to 17. Each..... 1.18

STREET FLOOR

9x12 Axminster Rugs

Former Prices $62.00, $65.00, $67.50

This is another lot of these famous rugs which we secured at the recent auction at reduced prices. The lot contains about 20 rugs, assorted patterns and colors. They will sell rapidly at this price, and we therefore advise early shopping.... 44.50

FIFTH FLOOR

Scrim Dutch Curtains

Serviceable, hemstitched, finished with wide Cluny pattern lace edge, ready to hang. Set..... 1.95

FOURTH FLOOR

Folding Card Tables

Mahogany finished frame, covered with felt or imitation leather, rubber tips..... 3.49

FIFTH FLOOR

Women's High Grade Boots

Values 8.00 to 10.00

850 pairs at less than actual cost of materials. The assortment of sizes is unusually good, and all widths from A to E. They have Cuban and military heels, Goodyear welt and come in black or brown. No mail orders. Pair... 3.00

STREET FLOOR—REAR

Parlor Rockers

Golden oak finish, extra high slat back, large deep auto spring seat, nicely upholstered..... 12.98

FIFTH FLOOR

Aluminum Cooking Set

Pure aluminum combination four-piece cooking set which can be converted into several different utensils, as illustrated. Only 200 of these practical sets in the lot..... 1.98

BASEMENT

25.00 to 30.00 Coats

For Women and Misses

Sizes 16 Years to 44 Bust

Wool meltons, heather mixtures and velours with large collars of fur or self materials. Every coat is carefully designed along the latest lines and in the most desirable shades of winter. Special for Wednesday..... 17.50

No Charge for Alterations

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MANY BARGAINS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT NOT ADVERTISED HERE

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Do you realize that just two minutes' walk from the North Station is a collection of specialty stores carrying as fine quality women's apparel as you can find in the highest-grade specialty shops in Boston, and that these Lowell Street Stores offer

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Fine Suits, Coats, Fur Coats, Dresses, Furs, Silks, Dress Goods, Dressmakers' Trimmings, Shoes, Children's Garments, Underwear, Hosiery, Veilings, etc.

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YALE COACHES SHORN OF EVEN LIMITED POWER, IS REPORT

INTERNAL TROUBLE HINTED

Failure to Develop Material Has Blue Supporters All Worked Up

By CHARLES E. PARKER.

Did Yale sacrifice its chances against Princeton to make sure of a victory over Harvard?

This question is being asked by many football followers in their efforts to trace the cause of the woeful downfall of the Elis in last Saturday's game with the Tigers.

There is a remote possibility that such may have been the case, but there is the strongest bunch that there is "something rotten in the state of Denmark."

Whisperings have it that warring cliques have developed in the Yale squad, and that as one result of this factional fight the Yale coaches have been shorn of the somewhat limited power Yale coaches enjoy. In Saturday's game there was much that could be construed as bearing out such rumors.

Backward Steps Taken at Yale

Since the Boston College game Yale has taken several backward steps in the latter contest Yale's speed and play and Yale's traditional failure to protect the receiver of enemy kicks proved the only phases of Yale's play open to criticism. The team had plenty of fight, a fair assortment of plays, and despite the defeat, looked like a very promising Eli outfit.

In Saturday's game with Princeton, Yale's end play was poorer than in the Boston College game. Yale, despite the B. C. lesson, failed to protect the receiver of opposition punts; Yale lacked the fighting spirit, and the repertoire of plays Yale employed was decidedly limited and anything but deceptive. These, combined with Yale's questionable strategy, the failure of the Yale team to make proper interference for the running backs, and the fact that the breaks were consistentially favored Princeton all figured in the Yale defeat.

From this it would seem that Tad Jones and his assistants are most when they call themselves football coaches; coaches having power as well as ability to impart knowledge.

Elis' Actions on Field Exonerate Scouts

Some writers have sought to charge the Eli scouts with responsibility for the Yale defeat at the hands of the Tigers, but the writer does not see wherein they are justified in so doing, for the deployments of the Yale men on the defensive clearly showed Yale knew where to be, but not what to do. Repeatedly two, three or four Elis were in positions to tackle Tiger runners for substantial losses and only because they did not tackle them properly was Princeton able to gain. The fact that Princeton's forward passes and runs from the regular Princeton formation failed to gain consistently, despite Yale's poor tackling, indicates the Tiger attack did not get so smoothly as against Harvard one week ago.

The only excuse Yale has offered for its consistently poor end play this season has been lack of wing material, which excuse holds little water. The Yale football squad is a big one and in it are many able athletes who, if not natural wing men could be developed into good ends in a reasonably short space of time. Yale's corps of wing coaches is one of the largest any school boasts. Six star wingmen, at least three of whom have been All American athletes, comprise that corps and there seems no legitimate reason why such coaches, from such a squad, cannot bring forth at least one pair of ends who can play fair football.

Non-Protection of Punt Receiver Inexcusable

There is no excuse for Yale's unusual failure to protect the receiver of kicks. Whoever is in power at New Haven, whether it be head coach, assistant coach or player, has had sufficient lessons in the costliness of such loose tactics to guard against them.

The conspicuous absence of Yale's traditional fighting spirit and the failure of the team as a whole to aid the man carrying the ball both may be chargeable to the rumored factional conditions existing in the Yale squad, and it is possible that the latter alleged element may be preventing the selection of Yale quarterbacks who, to some degree, are responsible for the faulty strategy Yale employed.

Yale Plungers Showed but Little Fight

It is to laugh to read the highly colored accounts of last Saturday's game and find therein many and long paragraphs telling of Yale's game fight and the awe-inspiring display of the old fighting spirit. Those who really noticed such elements must have had very keen eyesight, for Yale went through the entire contest without drawing a penalty and when a team plays a full hour without some member getting offside or holding, you can take it for granted such a team is not keyed up to a fighting pitch. A fighting, aggressive eleven, serious to beat down the opposing attack or sweep through its defense, is more or less bound to draw a penalty or two in the course of the game. Princeton drew several such penalties, three of them for fifteen yards each.

The quarterback situation at Yale, unless it is dictated by the rumored cliques, is regarded as a decided black mark against the ability of Eli coaches. Only two men have been give real opportunities to handle the team this season.

One of these—Pido Kempton—very conclusively proved to almost everybody that he is not a big game quarterback. His record in last year's Princeton game decided many on that point, while his record in last year's Harvard game very strongly bore out that conclusion. Yet this season he became Yale's first string quarterback and remained so until in his next important battle—the Boston College contest—he again evidenced his lack of quarterback ability.

Kelly Good Quarterback in the Making

The other is Thorne Murphy. Murphy has possibilities—possibilities he did not however live up to in last week's game, but he is not the frail in physique to stand the rigors of four full periods of a big game. As an emergency field general and dropkicker he is ideal. But upon Kempton's failure, instead of turning Murphy in the latter capacities, he has been employed as first string quarterback, with Captain Eckstorm as his understudy.

Now on the Yale squad is Dan Kelly of Cambridge, who is a high school player at Rindge, a prep school player at Worcester, and a freshman player at Yale seemed one man at least who could be developed into varsity timber with a very little training and preliminary game experience. Kelly went untried until a week or two ago when he was given a chance with the Yale second team and on three successive days very ably handled that outfit in scrimmage with the varsity. Since that time Kelly has dropped from sight with the whys and wherefores very much a mystery, particularly when Yale so sorely needs an able quarterback.

Plenty of Football Material at Yale

There is no question that Yale has as fine material as any big college in the country. There is no question that Yale, with this material playing efficiently, would have at least as even chance of beating Harvard. There is a question, however, as to whether the Yale coaches can in four days bring an aggregation of naturally excellent players from the depths to which they have fallen or have been propelled and mold them into a fine, close fighting machine capable of trouncing the Crimson.

To do so any cliques that may exist will have to get rid of hostilities immediately and a whole lot of hard, trying teachings in elementary football will be decidedly necessary. Four days is a short time to accomplish these undertakings but their accomplishment is possible.

As matters now stand there are many Yale men who will view with no display of regret the passing from Yale football of certain characters now prominent on the Yale squad. A Yale victory over Harvard, however, would excuse a lot of things.

Elis' Hopes Centre Around These Men

Malcolm Aldrich (on left), halfback; Thorne Murphy, quarterback and drop kicker, and (inset) Tom Dickens, tackle, who returns to squad after four weeks' absence

YALE WORKS ON NEW PLAYS

First Team Does Light Work, While Second and Third-Stringers Scrimmage

New Haven, Nov. 16.—There was a good deal of scrimmaging by the Yale second and third string players in the Bowl today, but the regulars were kept out of the danger zone.

The men who are expected to tackle the Crimson next Saturday were given a rest Sunday and Monday at Godney Farms, N. Y., and on their return here were put through a light workout, in which new plays which Coach Jones has up his sleeve for the Harvard game were rehearsed.

Several lineup changes are contemplated but Coach Jones will not announce them just yet. Trainer Johnny Mack said today that he was delighted that Aldrich came through the Princeton game so well. He is now expected to be able to last through the Harvard match. Aldrich is the favorite for next season's captaincy. If he is elected he will be Yale's first Massachusetts football captain since the days of Eugene Baker.

The return to left tackle of the veteran Tom Dickens is confidently expected. He has been laid up for weeks with a wrenched knee, but appears to have thoroughly regained condition. The full eleven today appeared free from traces of staleness. Their two days in the country worked wonders in their condition and they came back to New Haven full of fight and expecting to convince Harvard that they are a dangerous proposition.

Camp Devens Eleven Retains Lead

Portland, Me., Nov. 16.—The Camp Devens eleven kept at the top of the First Army Corps Football League by defeating the Portland Coast Defense team, 20 to 6, in a fast and spectacular game on the Fort Williams gridiron. Lieutenant Boyd scored for Portland by a long end run in the first few minutes of play. Devens came from behind, with Curry, former West Virginia halfback, and second all America choice of 1916, running wild with the ball and scored four touchdowns.

QUARTERS STILL AFTER PLACE

Harvard General for Final Game Against Yale Has Not Yet Been Picked

With the Yale game only four days away, the Harvard football salons are still up in the air concerning the selection of a quarterback. Jim Fitzgerald has been holding the regular job for the past few weeks and the coveted lad looked like a sure starter against the Elis. Now Coach Dick Wigglesworth has jumped Charlie Buell, last year's freshman captain, into the post. And Jewett Johnson, third-string quarter, has his rooters for the long cut.

Buell is a forward passer of good parts. And he can drop kick. With him at the helm Harvard knotted the Princeton game after looking like a loser. Fitzie is said to have more football sense, and to be a better driver. It looks like another Murray-Felton mixup. Last year Captain Murray played the conservative game, but when Felton went into the game the team responded more strongly and with the wide open play tied Princeton after looking like a defeated team and whipped Yale and Oregon.

The coaches had a meeting last night and today's lineup will decide Saturday's team. The return of Duke Sedgwick to left tackle was the best news of the Harvard season. The big fellow is in fine trim and teaming with Wy Hubbard will make two A-1 forwards. Harvard has two of the strongest tackles in the college game in the pair.

Tommie Woods is at work again. He will replace Brown against Yale if his foot doesn't go back on him now that he is back in uniform.

Dick Humphrey's punting has placed in consideration for right halfback Saturday. He is fighting for the job with little Churchill and Fitts, who is somewhat new to the Harvard lineup but considered of great promise.

JIMMY FRIZETTI BEATS FRANKIE "YOUNG" BRITT

Jimmy Frizetti of Brockton defeated Frankie "Young" Britt of New Bedford on points in the ten-round main bout at the Carlyle A. C. again Britt had the advantage for six rounds and his stock rose with leads and bounds with the fans until the seventh session opened.

In that period Frizetti began to use his left to the face with telling effect, and also drove his right to the body with good result. When the final round opened the odds were on the Brockton boy, and during that session, he intercepted the lead he had piled up in the three preceding rounds and easily earned the referee's verdict.

PLAYS THROUGH GAME WITH SEVERE INJURY

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 14.—An unusual display of grit that enabled Notre Dame to defeat Indiana last Saturday was disclosed today. An examination revealed that George Clipp, halfback, played through the game with a fractured collarbone. He was injured soon after the contest began. He insisted on rejoining the team in the final period.

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Ring Results

New York—Phil Delmont knocked out Johnny Sullivan, 2.

Philadelphia—Angie Ratner shaded Bryan Lee in a ten-round bout. George Cooney knocked out Johnny Mahoney in four rounds.

Boston—Jack Perry knocked out Jimmy Dugan, a Boston boy, in ten rounds.

Winnipeg, Manitoba—Fred Fulton knocked out Harry Williams of San Francisco in the second round.

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Fight Promoters Combine

New York, Nov. 15.—William A. Brady, Tex Rickard and Charles Cochran of London have combined to promote high class boxing matches. They are directors in the American Sporting Club.

BUGS BAER'S COLUMN

Cheer Leader Is Important Gent

Numbering football players is unfair to the boys in the cooler who earned their numbers in unfair competition. It is also unfair to the athletes themselves. Why do the spectators want to know what it's all about, when the players don't know themselves.

Nobody has asked that the cheer leaders be numbered because even the most habitual football bug knows there ain't fractions that small. A cheer leader belongs to the same branch of the Rotary Club that admits squirrels in revolving cages to active membership.

No circus is complete without a battery of clowns, and no big intercollegiate match day would be official without a cabinet of Barnum secretaries. Cheer leaders are sent to college because papa and mamma figure that a pet squirrel is easier to feed and takes up less room around the house. They send the boy off to Yale or Harvard to study modern mythology and the hieroglyphics on ancient African tablets.

How Things Are Done in Africa

The hieroglyphics on ancient African tablets have never been deciphered with profit to the party of the first part. The African spoke and wrote a dotted language on square ivory stationery. There seemed to be only twelve dots in their alphabet. The Morse code has both dots and dashes. Science figures that Afro-Dicco was the Remorse code.

The ancient Africans used to shake their education well before taking and follow it up with a long roll for a finishing course. The dots seemed to have a very peculiar significance.

Two dots were known as crap and was a symbol of mourning. Possibly a corruption of crepe, meaning something on the doorbell after a patient had just died. It was also called Snake Eyes or Chinamen's eyes.

Three dots meant the same thing.

Four dots was Little Joe, an orphan, who was the champion wrestler of his age. Nobody could throw him.

Five dots was Phoebe from the South, a young sister of Nine Dots, known as Nellie with the Long Green Stockings.

Six Dots was a point if you made it. If you didn't make it, it was only a number.

Seven Dots had two meanings. It was or it wasn't. If you didn't throw it first, it threw you.

Eight was the same as Six. Either a point or a number.

Ten was Big Dick from Boston and was the birthstone of Lucretia Borgia, the inventor of slow poison.

Eleven was a natural. Named in honor of John Burroughs, the great naturalist.

Twelve was Box Cars or Packards, because it was made with twin sixes.

It was a very queer language and a guy could speak volumes without saying a word. After a cheer-leader graduated in African tablets he would go home, frame an I. O. U. for a diploma and spend the rest of his life helping the town loafer to build up his business.

You may bawl out a cheer leader, but remember that he has more fun for less money than a pyromaniac in Hades.

TRIO STRIVE TO LEAD A. A. U.

Two Candidates From New York and One From Coast in the Field

New Orleans, Nov. 16.—The names of three candidates were announced to the nominating committee of the A. A. U. The election will be held today. Those now in the race are Robert K. Weaver, Los Angeles; Herman Oberlander, New York, and Harry W. Fitzpatrick, New Orleans. The name of William S. Haddock, Pittsburg, also has been mentioned as a possible candidate.

Following discussion preceded the adoption of the recommendation of Chairman Bowser K. Weeks, of the logistic committee, that army and navy athletes be allowed to compete under Amateur Athletic Union auspices with out registration. The amendment carried with it a requirement that servicemen be registered by the army or navy to insure their amateur standing.

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"CAV" LECTURES B. C. SQUAD

'Blue Monday,' as Usual Winds Up with Long Signal and Punting Drills

It was again "Blue Monday" at Universal Heights, Coach Cavanaugh giving the B. C. squad a few blistering remarks and finishing off with a signal drill which lasted until darkness put an end to the proceedings. Jim Doyle and Jack Heaphy were back in their usual places, while Tom Swan played at right halfback for the first time in ten days. Dunbar, the 200-pounder who has been out for over a month, replaced Jimmie Liston as the other half late in the scrimmage.

Jimmie Fitzpatrick appeared with his arm removed from the sling which he had it since the Springfield contest, and was in uniform for the first time in over two weeks. He is booked to face Georgetown unless Cav decides to save him for the Holy Cross battle. Fitz got off some fine punts by drop-kicking a few from the 45-yard line. He is coming along rapidly and may duplicate his feat of last year by winning the two final games with the "sure-foot."

PAIR OF PENN STARS OUT WITH INJURIES

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 16.—Penn will be minus two of her best men in the game against Columbia at New York Saturday. Captain Bud Hoppt, right guard, and Wray, quarterback, of the season, and Wray, quarterback, it laid up with a splintered shin bone. Birmane, fullback, may get into the lineup.

Roller Polo Results

Free-vidence 3, Worcester 2.

Lowell 7, Hartford 4.

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COLLYER'S SELECTIONS

BOWIE

1—Wild Thoughts, Crimson Rambler, Fe mutter.

2—Jacinth Girl, Polythis, Tamarisk.

3—Nightstick, The Decision, Albert A.

4—Deadly Gertrude, My Dear, Elected II.

5—Foreclosure, Armistice, Rollicking Airess.

6—American Boy, Wilfreda, Hello Peggy.

7—Mountain Rose, Gourin, Martha Lucketf.

SKULL PRACTICE AT DARTMOUTH

Big Green Squad in Great Shape With Exception of Captain Robertson

Hanover, N. H., Nov. 16.—A day of rest was granted the Green football squad, the practice consisting of a ten-minute skull drill. The whole squad is in perfect condition with the exception of Jim Robertson, who should be ready for the Brown game. Merritt and Thresbie reported minor injuries, but are fit for practice. The three days' practice this week are to be devoted to putting the finishing touches on new plays to be used against Brown.

The whole college looks forward to a decisive defeat of Brown. However, the coaches realize that Brown always plays its game of the year against Dartmouth, and they will see to it that nothing is left unprepared. Not only this, but there will probably be no chance for regular practice when the team is en route for Seattle next week. The condition of the Green team before the Brown game is in great contrast with that of last year, when nearly half the regulars were kept on the side lines with injuries. It is expected that practically the whole student body will journey to Boston to see the game.

SYRACUSE SHIFTS BACK TO FRUGONE

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Babe Frugone, who, at quarterback, piloted the Syracuse eleven to victory against Dartmouth, is picked to replace Parker at that position in the game against Colgate Saturday.

This pivotal position is the weak one in the Syracuse lineup. Maryland's defeat of the Orange team has resulted in unusually vigorous practice this week for the Colgate contest.

COLUMBIA CHANGES FOLLOW BEATING

New York, Nov. 16.—Coach O'Neill ordered the Columbia squad out again today for a stiff practice on South Field, despite raw and muggy weather conditions. The crushing defeat received at the hands of Cornell was to use a few changes in Columbia's lineup for Saturday's game at the Polo Grounds with Pennsylvania. Captain Kinninger is expected to get into the lineup at left end.

Football Tickets Go On Sale Today

Saturday's big football game locally will be the annual clash of Brown and Dartmouth at Braves Field. The Green's performances to date with victories over Cornell and Princeton have been so convincing as to cause unusual interest in Saturday's game and to lead the fans to believe it will be anybody's game, although Brown has won the past four years. Dartmouth and Brown alumni and students have taken a lot of seats, but then there are a lot of seats at Braves Field and everything not already sold goes on public sale at Wright & Ditson's today. If you are not going to the Harvard-Yale game Saturday, it would be a good idea to get your tickets at once. Grandstand tickets are $2.50 and $1.65 with some box seats left at $2.00 per throw.

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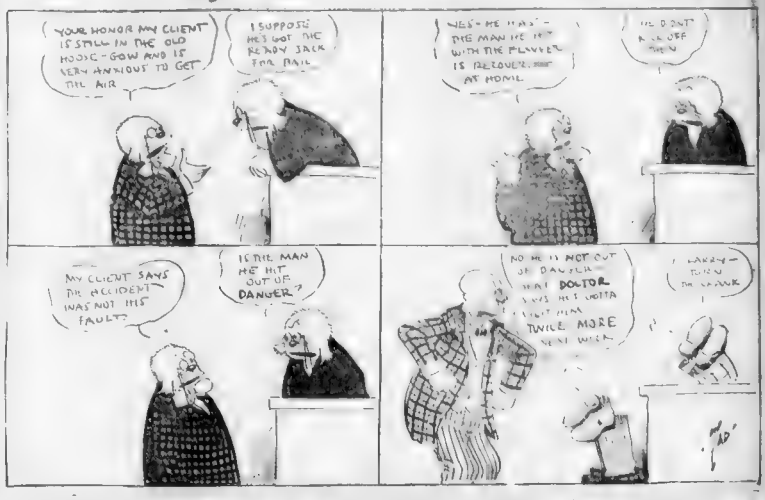
MARTIN GETS REAL TRYOUT IN BATTLE WITH BANDSMAN RICE

Indoor Sports

PROJECT ONE DOWN EVERY MINUTE AND MOST OF THEM LAND
SHORT SKIRTS CALL FOR LONG LOOKS
WHILE YOU REST YOU BUST
LOOK AT NOAH HE CAN'T SWIM YOU CAN
I AM NOT OMAY WITTY MYSELF BUT BE CAUSE OF WIT IN OTHERS
HA-HA-HA IDEAS COME EASY NOWADAYS I NEVER HAD SO MANY IN MY LIFE
HE WHOLE A HOT ONE THE FIRST WEEK AFTER HE GOT UP JAKE UP - HE SAID - WHEN A WOMAN STOPS COMPLAINING ABOUT HER HUSBAND SHE'S A WIDOW
HE WINS THE TROPHY SHELL-LAWN MOWER
INDOOR SPORTS
TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHY IT IS THAT THE BLOKE WHO WRITES THE COLUMN OF JOKES EVERY DAY HAS SO MANY GOOD IDEAS THE LAST FEW WEEKS

By TAD


YOUR HONOR MY CLIENT IS STILL IN THE OLD HOOEY - GOW AND IS VERY ANXIOUS TO GET THE AIR
I SUPPOSE HE'S GOT THE READY JACK FOR BAIL
MY CLIENT SAYS THE ACCIDENT WAS NOT HIS FAULT
IS THE MAN HE HIT OUT OF DANGER?
NO HE IS NOT OUT OF DANGER YET BUT DOCTOR SAYS HE'S GOTTA LIVE MORE TWICE NEXT WEEK
LARRY - TURN THE CRANK

Still on D. L.

BRITISH HEAVY HAS TWICE BOXED WITH CARPENTIER

By JACK CONWAY

Bob Martin, heavyweight champion of the A. E. F., has been made a betting favorite over Bob Guman Rice, heavyweight champion of the British army, whom he meets in a ten-round international battle at the Armory A. A. gymnasium in Mechanics Building tonight.

Martin recently made a big hit with local fans when he stopped Larry Williams of Bridgeport in less than two minutes of fighting. Williams had been a scrub of the world's best light heavyweights, but was only a setup for Martin. The latter ended the tussle with a right-hand punch to the jaw.

At Savannah, Ga., on last Friday night, Martin stopped Ray Smith in two rounds. "Fighting Bob" declared loudly he would try to add Rice to his list of victims.

The soldier champion has made the most of the American doughboys a natural boxing factor. He has a terrific wallop in his right which may enable him to smash his way to the front ranks of the heavyweights.

Until he met the men Martin had a set on his feet. In bouts with Wilson he had the Bridgeport man cornered in a jiffy. The big punch then went crashing home.

Rice Has Walloped Bombardier Wells

Rice has come to America prepared to meet all of our leading heavyweights. He has twenty-six years of experience behind him, a goodly share of it in the British Bombardier Wells, Dave Smith, C. M. C. A. star, and Joe Beckett, other pictures. He looked twice to Georges Carpentier, French idol, and Beckett made the distinction of scoring a knockout win.

The British champion is a twenty-to-nothing shot. He says he will try to outbox Martin for three or four rounds and then will open up for a knockout, if opportunity for a knockout is not found for him prior to that time. Rice could not be induced to take a hard punch and then back away, which may enable him to offset Martin's opening rush this p. m.

Gardini and Michaelof in Wrestling Bout

Renato Gardini, world's lightweight wrestling champion will have Ivan Michaelof, Russian Hercules, in a finish wrestling match at Loew's State, Tremont street, Boston tomorrow night. Michaelof is one of the few men who has been able to make things interesting for Gardini. The latter recently agreed to throw three men in the same evening at Keith's Temple. He made his first two pupils without mishap and then collided with Michaelof. The contest ended with honors fifty-fifty, as the match will go to a decision, it will start promptly at 9 p. m.

Paul Doyle Hitting on All Cylinders

Paul Doyle, one of New England's classiest welter-weights, proved he is looking in high condition by the quick way in which he disposed of Jimmy Duffy at Worcester. Doyle was one of the big wigwags in local rings last winter and during the Spring. Then he took a layoff for the Summer Time Paleozoic protector has profited from his rest and he now not only boxing well, but punching as hard as when he first started fighting in this sector five years ago.

Saturday Night Shows for Fall River

Fall River is going to stage Saturday night boxing shows. Matchmaker Joe Burke says the opening show will be held Nov. 27 and every Saturday night thereafter. Fall River was one of the best spots in the New England circuit in the old days and there is no reason why the game should not flourish there if handled properly.

Al Calzone Back on Active List

Al Calzone, Milford's boxing pride intends to keep active in the ring from now on. Calzone showed a flock of victories last Winter and should make even a more creditable showing from now on as he has added to his knowledge of the fine points of the game.

Louis Bogash Stops Emergency Allen

Bridgeport, Ct., Nov. 16.—Louis Bogash followed his knockout triumph over Willie Ryan of Philadelphia by getting a technical knockout decision over Emergency Red Allen of Brooklyn.

Bogash let Allen rush everything but the water pail and in the fourth Referee Meagher of Allen, seeing that his protege had a hook-in, threw in the towel.

Bogash's hitherto erring left drive spelt ruin to Allen. The latter's nose bled from the first round and a badly battered face resulted. Allen used several times during the bout effectively and Bogash on Allen's jaw.

SCHOOL NOTES

Coach Sexton of Lynn English has whipped out his list of candidates for last year's team are among those who will keep up the squad.

Stud Baker of Malden made a great comeback in the game with Everett. He has been on the injured list for three weeks but pulls up from his ailment, the first of him good.

Boston College High continues to win big one of the few bouts in the State with a team in state. They have but Mahoney, Hall, Fish of Beaver, Reid. This game should be full of fireworks.

B. C. H. will enter the fray a favorite on account of the severe drubbing given Beverly High Coach Murray's charges in this same outfit and get away with a heavy win.

Of all the teams that have played Newton, Waltham put up the most stubborn game. Coach Hickerman's charges were kept on the short Those was no weakening in the last period and Newton subs had little chance to work.

The game between Haverhill and Newton has been settled as far as the date is concerned. It is a question as to what field will be used. It is a toss up between Haverhill and Andover as the site.

Prior, Blair and Gillis, all of Med-ford will be given much consideration in the picking of the interscholastic team this Fall.

Double-header at Braves Field to-day. Brighton High meets English High, while Boston Trade takes on the fast moving Hyde Park team. First game will be called at 2:15 p. m.

Coach Joyce of Lynn Classical and its champions of the North Shore league have issued a challenge to Malden on top the pile in the Suburban League, for a game, to be played December 4 at Newton.

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HARVARD-YALE TICKETS BEING DELIVERED TODAY

Have you received your ticket to the Harvard-Yale football game Saturday? Almost twenty-eight thousand of them are being delivered by the postmen today in this State and other sections of the country, and Wednesday will see a few more. The H. A. A. has sent out $42,500 worth of tickets, and returned something like $18,000 in checks to those whose applications could not be filled.

Bezdek Not Ready to Decide on Game

Notre Dame, Ind., Nov. 16.—I will discuss [illegible] season until after [illegible] season is ended," said Hugo Bezdek when asked about the second game with Notre Dame in New York city. It is said that there will be no [illegible] arranged by the Penn State authorities until after the game has been played with the University of Pittsburgh.

Bezdek will start two inches of snow on New Beaver Field in Pittsburgh tomorrow for the Panthers' first appearance for [illegible] between now and [illegible] game.

SIGNS OF ACTION IN BASEBALL

War Over, Magnates Prepare to Strengthen; New Managers Soon to Be Elected

By JACK VEICK,
International News Service Sporting Editor

New York, Nov. 16.—With peace restored and Judge K. M. Landis firmly in the saddle as baseball's supreme czar, the baseball magnates will [illegible] to get down to business when they meet in 1921. There will be no [illegible] baseball, [illegible] with regard to the drawing up of a new national agreement until after Thanksgiving.

According to President Heydler of the National League it is planned to get the minor and major leagues together shortly after the first of the year to agree on the draft of a new agreement in time to present it to the American and National leagues at their annual meetings in January.

Signs of action among the clubs were made by Pat Powers, who is [illegible] and [illegible] by Secretary Fohl of the Giants that New York would head Tyrell Sheeman in the [illegible] from Cincinnati.

Manager Mitchell and President Barney Dreyfuss of the Brooklyn club have been on [illegible] for a short time, but [illegible] returning to the Pittsburgh [illegible] Dreyfuss will return in time for the National League annual meeting in December. Mitchell today [illegible] that he planned on making a trip on one of the British ocean liners to [illegible] with Manager Mike Higgins, Boston Americans, and Joe Dugan, Yankee star, [illegible] Ed Barrow, and Joe Ks, Bill Connery and Roy Sis Yankee scouts, to make general plans for the coming season.

New Managers to Be Named Shortly

Manager Huggins attended the league meeting in Boston [illegible] He was looking for pastime talent, but as far as can be learned, failed to land any. Manager Pa Moran of the Reds was another [illegible] booked to visit the Huston job, Mike Kelley of St. Paul is said to have received a satisfactory offer from Philadelphia, and it is believed that he will accept. Lavigne Howard is the one to beat for Jennings successor at Detroit, and Lee Fohl has the inside track at St. Louis.

President Navin of the Tigers plans to put some new blood into the Detroit team this season and whoever is selected to pilot the Tigers will be given plenty of leeway. Stallings has been mentioned as well as Rowland. It is whispered that President Navin may purchase a Western league franchise before the Winter is over and develop future Tigers in that circuit.

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Sam Langford Wins

Memphis, Nov. 16.—Sam Langford, the colored boxer of Boston, defeated Jack Thompson, also colored, in an eight-round fight.

SPORT EDITORIAL

Look at All This Peace

Here it is only mid-November and the baseball magnates apparently have all their old quarrels patched up, no new quarrels in sight, and perfect peace everywhere. This is almost too much.

No new "outlaw" league being discussed, no row between Ban Johnson and somebody, no fusses over players. Nothing but peace.

Contemplating the serenity of the scene, a glow of satisfaction is suddenly turned into a chill of apprehension.

What are the magnates going to do to pass away the time and keep in the newspapers during the long dark months of Winter? What are they going to substitute for the habit of years?

And what are the readers of newspapers going to read in lieu of the old-time quarrels? That is something to think about, indeed.

And meantime, while the magnates are resting so peacefully, what is going to be done about finding the man who was responsible for the bribing of the White Sox ball players in the world's series of 1919?

They have indicted the players, and they have indicted the go-betweens, and they have smeared a lot of loose whitewash on other people, but the real criminal in the proceedings is still at large, unpublished, and unpunished.

Why wouldn't it be a good idea for the idle baseball magnates to devote the time they used to devote to quarreling to bringing this party to some form of justice, if it is only in making him known to the world at large? D. R.

Babe Fails to Make Homer in Cuba

[illegible] and has batted seven [illegible] scoring $1,000 per game. In return he didn't [illegible] although he batted .500

McGRATH GETS PRO JOB AT COMMONWEALTH CLUB

C. J. McGrath, who for the [illegible]

DALY TO REMAIN AS COACH AT ANDOVER

[illegible]

BOSTON STAGES TITLE BOUTS

A. A. U. Awards 100-Yard Swim Event to Brookline Club; Track Meet on Coast

[illegible] Boston [illegible]

The wrestling [illegible] Lou Anderson [illegible] Johnston [illegible] and Samuel Hoyt.

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COLLEGES PLAN HOCKEY LEAGUE OF SIX TEAMS

A six-team college hockey league with Harvard, Dartmouth, Princeton [illegible] in the process of formation. The league is organized on [illegible] Dartmouth league will [illegible] action against the other teams, at the Boston Arena.

TENNIS STARS OFF FOR CUP

American Challengers for Davis Trophy on Way to Big Net Title Matches

[illegible]

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The Second Generation

Mortimer Lawrence Rebukes His Mother

By Virginia Terhune Van de Water

Author of Many Novels and One of the Country's Best Known Short Story Writers

CHAPTER XVI

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THE American Young [illegible] is not dependent [illegible] consecration [illegible] ships.—[illegible]

Peter and Mary [illegible] acquired the New [illegible] startling facts [illegible] father and mother [illegible] tably settled in [illegible] th son and Lucy [illegible] Peter phrased it, [illegible] at [illegible] they pleased.

And pay they did. Mary, pretty [illegible] beauty inherited [illegible] had also a very [illegible] ment of dance [illegible] popular,—indeed, [illegible] sister than [illegible] young men [illegible] or friend want!

Yet since Mortimer Lawrence [illegible] evidently failed [illegible] attract one, [illegible] her change of [illegible] her brother [illegible] in his presence. [illegible] mortons were [illegible] corn-fed!" She took pains [illegible] this when her [illegible] was present.

"What do you mean by [illegible] Mortimer Lawrence [illegible] that I have found Pierre [illegible] finest chaps I ever knew.

Irene shrugged her [illegible] ders. She had what [illegible] was a patrician type [illegible] ance. Her fa[illegible] straight, her [illegible] hair was rolled [illegible] from a low forehead.

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Her son wheeled upon her sharply.

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"And my father got [illegible] money

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A Bit Jealous

There was a silence, during which [illegible] eyes and waved with [illegible] from [illegible] room. When she had [illegible] was [illegible] an abrupt [illegible] with [illegible] was [illegible] long back of those [illegible] forehead.

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Cereals for Breakfast

By Loretto C. Lynch

An Expert on All Matters Pertaining to Household Management

CEREALS are grass [illegible] of which are used [illegible]

Among the most [illegible] wheat, Indian-corn, oats [illegible] and barley. From these [illegible] pared various breakfast [illegible] as oatmeal, cornmeal, [illegible] and the like.

Of course, it is well-nigh [illegible] sible to change the [illegible] grown-ups, and if an adult [illegible] been unfortunate enough [illegible] have been given a steam-cooked [illegible] at breakfast when a [illegible] preferred [illegible] to serve [illegible] breakfast [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THE THIMBLE THEATRE

Now Showing—"The Generous Maid."

GOSH!- A LADY GETTING HELD UP!
OH! HELP!!
I GOT BEAT UP- BUT I LICKED HIM
YOU SAVED THE THOUSAND DOLLARS WHICH I HAVE IN MY PURSE
AND AS A REWARD—
I AM GOING TO KISS YOU

THEN THE FUN BEGAN

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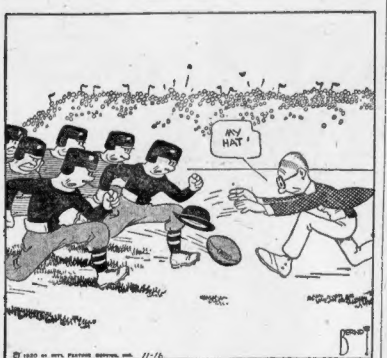

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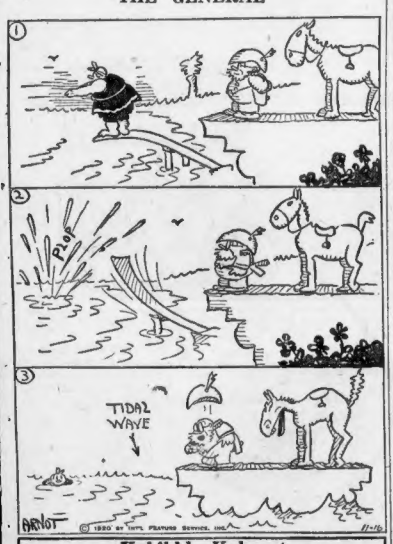

'Kabibble Kabaret

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DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,

MY HUSBAND SENT MY FATHER A TELEGRAM THAT WE ELOPED, BUT WE HAVEN'T BEEN FORGIVEN YET—WHAT CAN THE REASON BE?

SOCKS

YOUR HUSBAND MUST HAVE SENT THE TELEGRAM "COLLECT."

BRINGING UP FATHER

A MOVING PICTURE COMEDY, NOT AN ANIMATED CARTOON

ALL LEADING THEATRES

I SAID- WILL YOU HAVE SOME COFFEE SIR?
I CAN'T HEAR YOU- SAY IT A LITTLE LOUDER
WILL YOU HAVE A CUP OF COFFEE?
I SIMPLY CAN'T HEAR YOU WITH THAT NOISE- JUST WAIT A MINUTE!
SAY- PARDON ME- WOULD YOU MIND LETTIN ME HAVE THAT SPOON FER A MINUTE.
NOW- GO AHEAD AN TELL ME WHAT YOU SAID WHILE I GOT THE SPOON!

POLLY AND HER PALS

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Always Something Doing

YOU GO DOWN AND INTERVIEW THIS NEW COOK, MA. I'M BUSY!
YOU AIN'T GOT NUTHIN' ON ME, MISS!
I'LL GO!
SO YOU USTER COOK FOR OUR NEXT DOOR NEIGHBORS, HUM? HOW COME YOU TO LEAVE 'EM?
I SIMPLY COULDN'T STAND THE WAY THEY FOUGHT, SIR!
Y'MEAN T'SAY THE COPPAHS QUARREL?
DOES THEY QUARREL?
MAH DEAR! WHEN IT WASN'T ME AN THE 'MISSUS' IT WAS ME AN 'HIM'!

JERRY ON THE JOB

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Play Safe and Let the Train Continue

HEY MR. GINNEY- SENATOR ZEKE IS OUTSIDE- HE'S GOT SOME SQUAWK ABOUT SOMETHING OR OTHER- SHALL I SHOW HIM IN??
I WAS MAKING A SPEECH OFF ONE OF YOUR REAR PLATFORMS AND THE TRAIN STARTED BEFORE I WAS FINISHED- I WANT THE ENGINEER FIRED.
BUT SENATOR-
PARDON ME- I WAS THERE- AND THE CROWD CHEERED AND CHEERED AND CHEERED..
REALLY SENATOR- IF THE POPULACE CHEERED, I CAN'T SEE YOUR COMPLAINT.
BUT I DONT KNOW IF THEY WERE CHEERING ME OR THE ENGINEER.

ABIE THE AGENT

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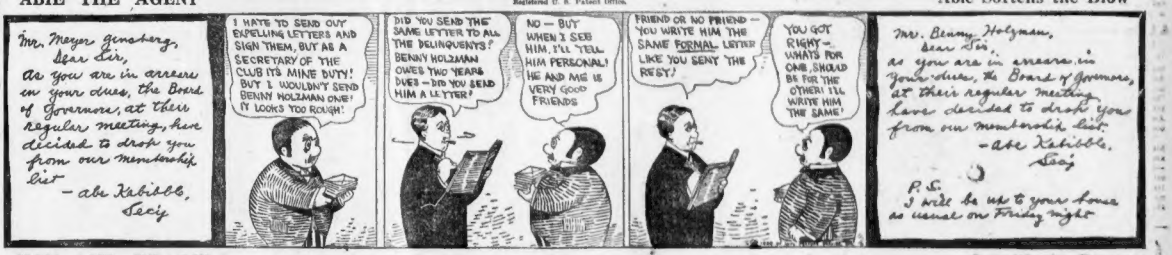
Abie Softens the Blow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I HATE TO SEND OUT EXPELLING LETTERS AND SIGN THEM, BUT AS A SECRETARY OF THE CLUB IT'S MINE DUTY! BUT I WOULDN'T SEND BENNY HOLZMAN ONE! IT LOOKS TOO ROUGH!
DID YOU SEND THE SAME LETTER TO ALL THE DELINQUENTS? BENNY HOLZMAN OWES TWO YEARS DUES - DID YOU SEND HIM A LETTER?
NO - BUT WHEN I SEE HIM, I'LL TELL HIM PERSONAL! HE AND ME IS VERY GOOD FRIENDS
FRIEND OR NO FRIEND - YOU WRITE HIM THE SAME FORMAL LETTER LIKE YOU SENT THE REST!
YOU GOT RIGHT - WHATS FOR ONE, SHOULD BE FOR THE OTHER! I'LL WRITE HIM THE SAME!
Mr. Benny Holzman, Dear Sir, as you are in arrears in your dues, the Board of Governors, at their regular meeting, have decided to drop you from our membership list. - Abe Kabibble, Secy
P.S. I will be up to your house as usual on Friday night

HON AND DEARIE

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On with the Dance

HOW TEACHES DEARIE A COUPLE OF NEW STEPS- WHAT WE WAUT TO KNOW IS WHERE HE LEARNED THEM.
ONE-TWO-THREE- SKIP-
OH, I GET IT NOW, HOW- ISN'T IT WONDERFUL?
HE'S TEACHING HER STEPS NOW- BUT SOON SHE'LL MAKE HIM STEP- AUD TOE THE MARK.
THEY DANCE WELL TOGETHER NOW- BUT WAIT UNTIL THEY'RE MARRIED.
YOU CAN DANCE WITH EVERYBODY BUT YOUR WIFE.
I WOULDN'T MARRY A DANCER FOR ANYTHING.
SHE COULDN'T FACE THE MUSIC.
WHEN THEY'RE HITCHED- THEY'LL DO A WAR DANCE
ASK DAD HE KNOWETH.
HE OUGHT TO BE A GOOD DANCER HE HAD A STEP FATHER
"BLUBBER" HE'S HEAD STRONG BUT BRAIN WEAK.
HATTIE KEEPS POP STEPPING TO PAY FOR HER HATS- AND IT'S HIGH STEPPING.
THERE'S ONLY ONE DANCE BLUBBER KNOWS- AND HE ONLY KNOWS IT BY SIGHT.
HOW HARDLY TOUCHES THE FLOOR- HE'S ON DEARIE'S FEET MOST OF THE TIME.
COMEDIAN!
AND YOU'RE ON MY NERVES MOST OF THE TIME
CRAZY CONTEST OF SIXTY SEEX
'SILENCE CONTEST FOR CHEER LEADERS.'
KEEP THIS QUIET.

KRAZY KAT

By George Herriman

Another Quintet of Contestants in Our $5,000 Loveliest Girl Contest

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WHY THE BURRO?—This primitive method of plowing is still used in Northern Africa. —(c) International.

DOWN THE WAGON—The above painting by Eugene Leon Labette has attracted much attention since its appearance in the Paris 1920 Salon. It is one of Labette's finest rural pieces. —(c) Underwood & Underwood.

THE LAST STRAW—Not satisfied with stripping John Henry Ostrich of his fine feathers for my lady's hat, they hitch the old bird up to a cart and drive him about the highroads. (c) International.

YOUNGEST POLICE CHIEF—Charles G. Fitzmorris of Chicago is only 36 years old. He was formerly secretary to Mayor Thompson and succeeds John J. Garrity. —(c) International.

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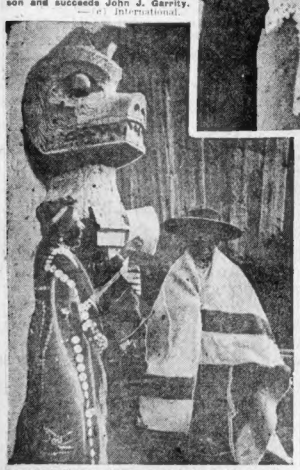
HUMPTY-DUMPTY—Nearly 600 years ago Emperor Charles IV, and a deer off this rock. In looking for the body in the ravine below his followers discovered the now famous hot water springs of Carlsbad. The figure shown in the photograph has been erected on the crag as a memorial. —(c) International.



MORE BEAUTY—Miss Lucy Moon is considered wonderfully beautiful because her head comes to a sharp point. She insists on being called "Miss," although she is shown here with one of her half dozen husbands. Hubby's name is John Monkey. The gentleman in the background is the family tree. —(c) Underwood & Underwood.

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HERE FOR PILGRIM TERCENTENARY—Members of English delegation: Canon E. Arthur Burroughs of Trinity College, Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. Herold Spender of Hampstead, N. W.; the Rev. R. Calder Gillie, Bryanston Square, W. 1., and the Rev. Alexander Ramsay, D. D., Highgate. —(c) Underwood & Underwood.

LEST WE FORGET—At the First Division reunion at Camp Dix the other day, the parade passed through a "box car" arch which was labelled with the familiar "Hommes 40, Chevaeux 8," a sign that will remain a vivid memory with the doughboys who had occasion to be one of the 100 "hommes" who were packed in where there was room for 40. General Pershing may be seen in the foreground. —(c) Underwood & Underwood.

THE ROMANTIC RIVER TAMAGAWA, JAPAN—Lazy waters wash the sides of lazier drop sailboats. Along the banks, smiling wash girls scrub their clothes on large rocks. These communities defy progress and stick to the old ways, despite the rapid changing of the atmosphere in cosmopolitan Japan. One wonders at the contrast between the Nipponese of this type and the scheming Oriental who causes so much concern to the Secret Service of the United States and other large countries. Should American girls have to compete against such labor as this? —(c) International.

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$1,000 REWARD IF WE FAIL ON OUR GUARANTEE

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CHAPTER X.—Continued

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The child moaned, stirred, and opened his eyes, gazing at them feverishly, yet without seeming comprehension. She bent over him, calling his name. . . . Hodder thrust the fan into her hand, and rose.

"I am going to telephone Dr. Jarvis," he said, "and then I shall come back, in order to be here when he arrives."

She looked up at him.

"Oh, thank you, sir,—I guess it's for the best——"

Her voice died away, and the rector, seeking for the cause, saw that a man had entered the room. He walked up to the couch and stood for a moment staring moodily at the child, while the woman watched him, terrified.

"Richard!" she said.

He paid no attention to her. She turned to Hodder. "This is my husband, sir. . . ." Hodder went into the church—just for a moment —I couldn't help it, and this gentleman—the——" She drew Hodder home with me. He wanted to—he thought I was sick. And now he's going out to get the best doctor in the city—for Dicky."

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"Why don't you tell him die, you and your church people?" he asked. "You've done your worst to kill him."

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"Say, what church do you come from?" he demanded.

"From St. John's," said the rector.

"Eldon Parr's church?"

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"Mr. Parr is a member of the congregation."

"Come off! He owns it and runs it, the same as he does everything else in this town. Maybe you don't think I read the Sunday papers. Say, I was respectable once, and had a good place. You wouldn't believe it, would you?"

Hodder hesitated. There was obviously no way to pass the man except by using physical force.

"If you have anything to say to me, Mr. Garvin, I shall be glad to talk to you later. But you must stop me now," he said, with a touch of severity.

"You listen to me, right here and now," cried Garvin. "If you think I am going to let Eldon Parr's minister, or any one else belonging to him, save that boy's life, you've got another guess comin'. That's all. I'd rather have him die—d'ye hear? I'd rather have him die."

The woman behind them whimpered. . . . The name was ringing like a knell in Hodder's head—Eldon Parr! Coming, as it had, like a curse from the lips of this wretched, half-demented creature, it filled his soul with dismay. And the accusation had in it the profound ring of truth. He was Eldon Parr's minister—and the name was somehow familiar to him.

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Talks With Fall and Hobby, but Will Not as Yet State His Policy

By International News Service.

Brownsville, Texas, Nov. 16.—President-elect Warren G. Harding, today on the last lap of his vacation in Texas, for the first time since leaving his home in Marion turned his thoughts to things other than rest and recreation.

Senator Harding had two conferences today, one with Senator Albert B. Fall of New Mexico, and one with Governor W. P. Hobby of Texas. Both of these men are deeply interested in the Mexican situation and it is understood they gave the Senator the benefit of their knowledge, although the President-elect stated very definitely that he would not commit himself on the Mexican situation until after he had taken office.

Senator Fall today insisted that his visit to Brownsville was merely for the purpose of paying his personal respects to the President-elect, but he commented on pictures of Francisco Villa at a show by stating his belief that Villa would not long remain behind the bars.

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EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE

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Big Business Suppresses Devices to Save Life

We heartily approve of the decision of the Massachusetts Public Utilities Commission in favor of the one-man electric car. The employes had objected to the one-man car upon the ground that it was a menace without certain additional safety devices. The real ground, however, was the one which, in human nature, we all take when a labor-saving device affects the demand for our labor.

Labor organizations in this respect, though often guilty, are not nearly so guilty in opposition to new devices which the advance in the arts give us as the railroad management and the telephone management and a great many other managements of great corporations.

For example, more people are killed and injured on American railroads than on any other railroads in the world. This does not begin to tell the story of the recklessness with which our railroads are conducted under private control. We have not the exact figures at hand, but we believe it to be a conservative statement that the number of injuries since the government turned back the roads to private management has been maintained most grievously. The number of injuries and deaths on the publicly operated railroads in Europe are so much less that one cannot contemplate the difference without a sense of bitterness to think what unnecessary risks we are obliged to take on our railroads under their present private management.

Now, it is well known that there are safety devices invented which would reduce the accidents on our railroads by thousands—at least one-third. The managers know it perfectly, but they do not adopt them because they would cost a great deal of money to do so. It would not cost, of course, nearly as much money as the railroads waste in graft and in the expense of political lobbies, but nothing, of course, can be spared from these very necessary extra legal expenses. It is well known that some of the other corporations buy up inventions in order to suppress them lest somebody get hold of them and exploit them in the public interest.

We should not allow labor to oppose the adoption of labor-saving devices which the advance of the arts and sciences give the world. In fact, we do not allow labor to do so. But there is another painful fact in the situation. We DO allow the employer to do so if the employer happens to be a public service corporation, or a great corporation seeking a monopoly in a new art like electricity.

Italy Won Fiume by Waiting Until Thieves Fell Out

Italy has won her controversy concerning her eastern border.

By all the rules which govern the settlement of the peace conference Italy was entitled immediately to the eastern frontier which she claimed. If it was right for England and France to receive one-half what they received under the secret treaties it was right for Italy to receive all she claimed under the same treaties.

But these secret treaties existed in bad faith with the United States and the agreements under them were entirely inconsistent with the basis of the armistice. When President Wilson, by a long series of apostacies to his own ideals and principles and to the promises of the armistice, had yielded everything that England demanded as the spoils of war and everything that France demanded when the demand was backed up by England, he found himself faced by a disillusioned, amazed and angry world of liberals, and apparently he felt it necessary to make some show of consistency and steadfastness. So he picked out poor Italy, the weakest of the Entente powers and the one that England and France were most ready to betray, to be the victim of his grandstand show of principle. He attempted to hold Italy up to his ideals while letting England and France run amuck with the old standards.

It was grossly unfair to Italy and the Italian people resented it. But the Italian government, the most intelligent in Europe, bided its time, knowing that when thieves fall out honest men get their due. In this case patience has been well rewarded, for, without swashbuckling, without rattling the sabre, without bloodshed, Italy has won a bloodless victory, the prize of moderation and good sense.

Port of Boston Would Boom if Railroads Played Fair

The Chamber of Commerce has organized a group to devote itself to the upbuilding of Boston as a maritime port.

The progress of America as an exporting nation, accelerated by the war, has made foreign commerce more important to America now than at any time since the Civil War. Moreover, the inevitable awakening of China and the rapid advancement of Siberia and Russia proper, which will follow the revolution as soon as France and England stop their intriguing and Russia has a chance to rebuild, makes America much nearer the centre of the world's commerce than ever before.

Thus, there is no reason in the world why Boston should decline as a seaport, and, on the contrary, there is every reason why her progress should be steadily upward. It is largely a question of fair dealing by the railroads and that is largely a question of the capacity of the people of Boston to know their rights and to dare maintain them.

Mayor Peters' Duty to Scan Demand for Gas Increase

On January 1, 1918, the Boston Consolidated Gas Company increased its charges for gas from 80 cents to 90 cents a thousand cubic feet. On November 21, 1918, the rate was increased by order of the Board of Gas and Electric Light Commissioners from 90 cents to $1.00. On March 5, 1920, the rate was again increased by order of the Department of Public Utilities from $1.00 to $1.10. Again on July 23rd, the rate was increased by order of the same body from $1.10 to $1.35.

Now comes the gas company with a demand for a further increase. The American does not know whether all these or any of these increases are justified. It is the duty of the Mayor and of the law department and of the city government generally to investigate such questions and protect their people, if they need protection. The Mayor has an able, experienced corporation counsel and we presume that he will not permit that available ability and experience to lie fallow in this case.

Their Happiest Day

More Truth Than Poetry

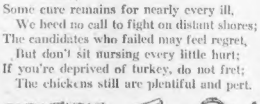
Thanksgiving's Coming

By S. E. KISER

LET'S be thankful for the blessings we possess;
The cost of living still is pretty high;
There still is too much greed and naughtiness,
Our hopes too often go amiss or die;
But if the perfect state is far away,
We still have plenty to be thankful for;
Beyond the Winter there's another May,
No autocrat is sending us to war.

THE profiteers are adding to their wealth,
The landlords are declining to be kind,
But they haven't put a tax upon good health
Or troubles we have learned to leave behind;
The Winter that is coming may be long,
The bills we get may cause us to complain,
But who can think that everything is wrong
While hope and love and faithfulness remain?

WE have reason to be feeling thankful still;
No foreign soldiers drive us from our doors;
Some cure remains for nearly every ill,
We heed no call to fight on distant shores;
The candidates who failed may feel regret,
But don't sit nursing every little hurt;
If you're deprived of turkey, do not fret;
The chickens still are plentiful and pert.



FIXING THE LIMIT

Most men would be perfectly willing to quit with a million if no one were able to get that much.

A THOROUGH JOB

England's army is twice as big now as it was before the war, showing how effectively Prussianism has been put down.

TO THE BOY ON A SALARY

Remember, when maidens refuse
To give you the answer you seek,
That it's better to love and to lose
Than to marry on fifty a week.

Letters to the Editor

Brockton Fair Thanks

Editor Boston American:

Dear Sir—The Brockton Agricultural Society has recently held the most successful Brockton Fair in the forty-six years since its organization. The combined attendance for the four days and evenings exceeded 215,000.

This wonderful fair is not the achievement of any one man or group of men. It represents the enthusiastic efforts of the entire Brockton community, and furthermore the generous recognition and co-operation of the newspaper fraternity.

Regardless of the measure of its success, no dividends have ever been paid to its stockholders. The society functions exclusively for the agricultural, industrial and educational advantage of its many thousands of patrons, and the receipts each year, after charitable gifts have been made, are devoted to the further upbuilding of the fair the coming year.

I wish personally, and in behalf of the society, to thank you for your part in contributing to the success of the Brockton Fair of 1920.

I hope that you had an opportunity to participate in the pleasures of this year's fair and that you will have an enjoyable part in the fair of 1921, which, it goes without saying, will as far exceed in excellence the fair recently held as that exceeded those of previous years.

Cordially
FRED F. FIELD,
President Brockton Agricultural Society, Brockton.

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Wrong to Ex-Service Man

Editor Boston American:

Dear Sir—I have noted with interest the help given by your paper to the cause of the ex-service men and wish to call attention through your paper to the kindness shown to the ex-service men at Scituate Proving Grounds.

It recently became necessary on account of shortage of work to lay off several men working at the grounds. And among those laid off were two ex-service men, one of these boys having served his country in the United States Navy and remained on European waters during the entire war.

Among those retained at the Proving Grounds was an Englishman who has I believe refused to become an American citizen. Now as I don't believe this is quite fair to the boys I would be pleased to see something about this in your paper. Respectfully yours,

F. P. McINTYRE,
Ex-Chief Quartermaster, Scituate. U. S. N. R. F.

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By K. C. B.

"I AM only a laborer, K. C. B., but if you will let me know what two of these curtains will cost, I will send the money to the address given and I will also go after working hours and put them up, if I am permitted to do so, and I will repeat the operation twice a month till they are all up, so that the glare of the electric lights cannot cause dreams of the hell they went through 'over there' and which left on each of them its devilish fingerprint."

JUST A paragraph.
FROM A letter.
ABOUT THE "Buddies."
WHO WANTED shades.
FOR TWENTY-ONE windows.
IN A hospital room.
WHERE A score of them.
SPEND ALL their days.
AND ALL their nights.
AND THIS laborer.
WHO WRITES to me.
IS ONLY one.
OF A multitude.
THAT DID likewise.
AND TO them all.
I SEND the word.
THAT THE shades are up.
WITHOUT OUR aid.
I'VE SEEN them there.
AND WE all of us smiled.
AS I sat on the edge.
OF A Buddy's bed.
AND WATCHED them hang.
AND THE Buddies smiled.
AND ONCE in a while.
HELD BACK a tear.
AS THE letters passed.
AND THEY smiled again.
WHEN I passed the word.
THAT SOME of the folks.
HAD SENT real coin.
TO BUY the shades.
AND BEING bought.
THERE WAS nothing to do.
BUT EMBEZZLE the fund.
FOR CIGARETTES.
AND THE like of that.
AND SO we did.
AND I left it there.
AND WENT my way.

I THANK you.

It Might Be Worse

WE get bumped by a lot of intoxicated men, and nearly every wise boy we know tells us that he can direct us to a place at which booch is for sale, but we refuse to be pessimistic. Nearly every day we pass respectable looking business places that used to be saloons.

-:- Deathless -:-

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

THERE lies in the centre of each man's heart
A longing and love for the good and pure;
And if but an atom, or larger part,
I tell you this shall endure—endure
After the body has gone to decay—
Yea, after the world has passed away.

The longer I live and the more I see
Of the struggle of souls toward the heights above,
The stronger this truth comes home to me:
That the Universe rests on the shoulders of love;
A love so limitless, deep and broad,
That men have renamed it and called it—God.

And nothing that ever was born or evolved,
Nothing created by light or force,
But deep in its system there lies dissolved
A shining drop from the Great Love Source;
A shining drop that shall live for aye—
Though kingdoms may perish and stars decay.

'MY GAL SAL' DRESSER'S BIG SONG OF SONGS

By Damon Runyon

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A SHORT time ago I printed in this column a brief review of Theodore Dreiser's sketch, in his book, "Twelve Men," of his brother, Paul Dresser, the song writer.

Dresser is still remembered as one of the most picturesque figures that ever passed beneath the blazing lights of the Great White Way, though he has been dead for years. Eddie O'Brien—"Saturday Night" O'Brien—stood in front of the Friars' Club the other evening and for an hour told me stories of the man who wrote, "On the Banks of the Wabash."

"I roomed with him," said Eddie.

Oddly enough, Theodore Dreiser fails to mention in his sketch what many believe to be not only the greatest song Paul Dreiser ever wrote, but one of the greatest American ballads of all time. This is, "My Gal Sal."

For years it has been the ambition of the music writers and music publishers to produce another "My Gal Sal." A publisher told me yesterday that he would gladly pay $200,000 for such a song.

Although you highbrowish people may criticize the technique and sentiment of "a wild sort of devil, but dead on the level," "My Gal Sal" has become an American classic. They are still singing it in vaudeville, and everywhere else. It will be sung long after "On the Banks of the Wabash" is known only as Indiana's State song.

Were I a song writer, I think I would rather have written "My Gal Sal" than any other American song, with the possible exception of "Over There" or "My Old Kentucky Home."

I have a letter from Theodore Dreiser, who now lives in Los Angeles, stating that a movement is on foot to have Indiana provide a final resting place for the ashes of one of her most famous sons, and the next session of the Indiana Legislature will be asked to assist.

Among those interested are George Ade, John Maxwell of the Indianapolis Star, Mr. Holland of the Indianapolis News and Mr. O'Brien of the Terre Haute Tribune. Theodore Dreiser states that Paul's body now lies in a small German Catholic graveyard, St. Boniface, Chicago, placed there by relatives.

Little enough honor is done in their lifetime to the men who make our songs. You may smile condescendingly at the efforts of some of these ballad makers, but I hold with the man who said in effect that if he could write the songs of the nation he would not care a whoop who made the laws.

Having so stated, I am now going out to find some good backroom tenor and have him sing "My Gal Sal" to me. I can always work up a fine cry by the time he hits and clings to those final notes: "Was M-M-Y-Y-Y-Y-Y-Y gal S-A-A-A-L!"

Stars and Stripes

The humorous chap who keeps the office force laughing all the time seldom gets a smile from the boss.

No fish ever got caught by keeping its mouth shut.

It is redundant to speak of blind rage, there is no other kind.

INSTINCT OF EXPRESSION ESSENCE OF LIFE

"WHY do you wear your hair like that, Mamie? It is most unbecoming." "Can't we have our meals on time?" "What did you do this for?" "Why do you do that?" What wife can expand and be happy under a rain of such dampness as this?

Perhaps, if the couple are well bred, they may give a defter turn to the disagreeable business, make sarcastic remarks, give subtle innuendoes, indulge in superior smiles, or use sulkiness or haughtiness as their weapons of offence. The result is the same.

Why, in the name of sense, can you not let each other alone? Never approach the other except in the spirit of appreciation. It may be necessary to correct, but think it over a long while before you do it. It is infinitely dangerous. You may gain your point, and gratify your vanity, but you are poisoning love.

But, it may be objected, reproof, rebuke and correction are sometimes necessary. Are we never to correct children? Are we never to tell grownups when they are doing wrong? Are we to let everybody do as he pleases? Is there to be no righteousness, no discipline, no punishment?

Oh, yes, we must have righteousness. But the profound and perpetual mistake the world goes on making, with children, in schools, in the family, in the law courts, in churches, everywhere, is that people do not perceive that no righteousness is of any value to the individual unless it is A DEVELOPMENT OF HIS OWN LIFE FORCE.

You cannot put righteousness on him as a garment or as a yoke. It must be GROWN in him.

We need punishment, perhaps. We are all more or less smitten with folly, and need pain to bring us to our senses. But as far as possible let me make my own mistakes, burn my own fingers, stub my own toes and bump my own nose. I may be doing wrong, but the stupidest way in the world to stop me is to rebuke me; I may stop my wrongdoing, but I will not like you who stopped me. You can accomplish the same result better by the arts of indirection.

The main reason why all men do wrong is that they resent restriction.

There are these two intensely practical puzzles that have stumped every one of us: What is it in my children that makes it difficult for them to behave? And what is it in me that makes me want to do what I should not?

And the answer which I wish here to submit is this—that it is **the instinct of self-expression.**

If we trace this instinct back, we will find it to be the first of all the instincts in every living creature. We accept the saying that "self-defence is the first law of Nature," and its meaning is that Nature puts into every organism which she creates a primary impulse to keep itself alive, to defend its personality.

This instinct is the very essence of life itself.

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IT'S A GAY LIFE

In most of the offices in the big cities the accommodations are now equivalent to those that obtain in jails. The inmates can almost always get permission to meet their friends in the corridors.